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ANOTHER SMITH NOW

MARCUS AURELIUS MAKES THE FIFTH IN THE SENATE.

HAS LAID DOWN FIDDLE

Senator Taylor's Mission in Life of Spreading Happiness and Dispensing Sunshine is Finished.

(By VAN CLEVE.)

Washington, D. C., April 3.—A scene was witnessed in the United States senate yesterday that will hardly be repeated during the present generation. Four new senators took the oath of office together. They were Senators Ashurt and Smith of Arizona, Democrats, and Senators Catron and Fall of New Mexico, Republicans. This increases the full membership of the senate to ninety-six, although there are now two vacancies. The new senators are pioneer representatives of the west, and presented a picturesque spectacle among the pale-faced but seasoned members of the upper house. To add to the novelty of the occasion it was necessary to resort to a lottery to determine the terms to which each of the new men should be entitled. They had been given "indeterminate sentences" by their people, and there seemed no better way to fix their terms of membership. The full term in the senate is six years, and the senate is divided into three groups, one-third going out every two years. This leaves two-thirds of the membership always experienced and onto the ropes. In the house of representatives the entire membership goes out every two years, and only those who secure a re-election save it from being made up entirely of raw and untried recruits.

In the early organization of the senate our statesmen resorted to the drawing to determine who should have the long and who should have the short terms, and it seems never to have gone out of fashion. The addition of these senators does not change the political complexion of the senate, as there are two of each party, but it does add one more member to the Smith colony. There are now five Smiths in the senate. Michigan, Maryland, South Carolina, Georgia and Arizona have all recognized the claims of the Smith family, and have given them a place in the senate. All are Democrats except Senator Smith of Michigan, who is some sort of a conservative-progressive-standpat Republican.

The membership of the senate will likely remain where it is for many years to come, and the number ninety-six may be safely memorized without danger of immediate change. Arizona and New Mexico are the last of the territories within the United States proper to become states. Our outlying territories are not fit for statehood and may never be. Unless some of the present states are divided the number will remain at forty-eight for many years.

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Senator Robert L. Taylor has laid down the fiddle and the bow and to dust has returned. In the death of Bob Taylor the world has lost a good friend. He was not a man of conspicuous mental strength, but as the apostle of mirth and melody he had won a place in millions of American hearts. He was a remarkable character. Born in Happy Valley, amidst the mountains of Tennessee, he made it his special mission in life to spread happiness and dispense sunshine. He was an artist with the violin and he sang and played to the people of the mountain district in which he lived until they sent him to congress. He afterward went out into the state and fiddled his way into the governor's mansion. He made a good governor, noted for his kind heart and generous dealing with his people. He was one of the best story tellers in the whole country. His being teemed with humor, and no occasion ever arose that Boy Taylor did not have a story in hand to fit the occasion. He traveled in nearly every state in the Union delivering his famous lectures, compelling tears and laughter in turns. Although his native state has been torn with political dissession and personal antagonisms, his music always had power to soothe the savage feelings of his people, and they sent him at last to the United States senate, where he will be long remembered for his good humor and his inimitable stories. He had a large vein of tender sentiment in his make up, and a much larger fund of descriptive adjectives than any man to whom I have ever listened. His imagination was fertile and active and reveled in beautiful pictures luxuriant with flowers and resplendent sunshine. The country has produced but one Bob Taylor. May he rest in peace.

His death is doubly unfortunate for Tennessee. Both political parties are split into irreconcilable factions, and with the Carmack-Cooper-Patterson incident still fresh in memory, another senatorial election will be generally dreaded. For the present the governor of Tennessee will likely appoint a Republican to serve until the legislature elects a successor to Senator Taylor.

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ELECTION TUESDAY NIGHT.

Three Directors to Be Selected By the Commercial Club—To Have Smoker.

The Commercial club will hold a meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock when three directors will be selected. The terms of Paul Sisson, Geo. A. Pickens and Charles McNeal, as directors, expire at this time. The board of directors are to select a president and secretary among the board members and Nic Sturm, as president, and G. B. Roseberry as secretary, will not serve another year.

A smoker and a lunch will be given at the meeting tomorrow night.

FIRST TO DECLARE.

Jesse B. Joy of Elmo to be a Candidate for the Democratic Nomination for Treasurer.

Jesse B. Joy of Elmo filed with County Clerk George W. Demott Saturday his declaration to become a Democratic ticket, subject to the Democratic primary in August. Mr. Joy is candidate for county treasurer on the the first one to file.

The race for county treasurer on the Democratic ticket promises to be a lively contest. Beside Mr. Joy, County Treasurer Sam Williams is seeking re-election, and H. H. McClurg is to enter the race soon.

FOR A WEEK'S TRIP.

Normal Quartet for a Concert Tour in Missouri and Illinois.

The Normal Male quartet, composed of P. O. Landon, L. L. Perrin, H. H. Mutz and O. H. Quinn, will leave Tuesday morning for a week's concert trip in Missouri and Illinois. Concerts will be given at McFall, in Missouri, and Jerseyville, Carlensville, Virden and Palmyra, in Illinois.

The quartet will give a program at the Normal at the chapel hour on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Anthony Has Returned.

Dr. and Mrs. F. R. Anthony returned Friday night from Kansas City, where Mrs. Anthony has been for several months taking medical treatment. She is greatly improved and her friends welcome her return to our city. Dr. and Mrs. Anthony have taken rooms with Mrs. Harry Shipps, on West Second street. Mrs. Shipps has recently leased the residence of Mrs. Stella Epperson, better known as the Judge T. J. Johnson residence.

To Attend Funeral.

Mrs. Etta Branson and daughter, Miss Marguerite, of Shenandoah, Ia., were in Maryville Monday on their way to Bedford to attend the funeral of Mr. Branson's mother, Mrs. John Branson. They were accompanied by Rev. Farrell, pastor of the Christian church at Shenandoah, who will conduct the funeral.

Married by Judge Morris.

Miss Minnie Crenshaw and Mr. Ben McClain of Parnell were united in marriage Monday afternoon by Judge J. W. Morris. Mr. McClain is proprietor of the pool hall at Parnell.

Latest post cards, 1 cent each at Crane's.

WENT FOR TEDDY

CARRY COUNTY BY A BIG VOTE OVER PRESIDENT.

DELEGATES SELECTED

To the District and State Conventions—The Primary Vote a Light One.

At the Republican preferential primary held Saturday afternoon from 1 to 5 o'clock, Theodore Roosevelt received the highest number of votes in this county as the choice of the Republicans for president. The vote cast was a very light one, considering the weather, and it being Saturday.

The Republican county committee met Monday afternoon at the court house, and the delegates to the district convention at Savannah and to the state convention at St. Louis were selected. They are instructed to vote for Roosevelt men for delegates to the Chicago convention.

The delegates to the district convention, which meets at Savannah on Thursday are: W. C. Pierce, W. E. Wiles and W. R. Tilson of Maryville, P. Maurer of Graham, Floyd Grimmit of Parnell, S. P. Ross of Ravenwood, John G. Hays of Skidmore, C. G. McMillan of Pickering, Grant Elrod of Elmo, James Stewart of Barnard, Willis Oxley of Hopkins and C. A. Johnston of Quitman.

The delegates selected to the state convention at St. Louis, which meets April 25, are: W. F. Phares, H. F. Leet, J. F. Hull, J. S. Shinabargar, Paul Sisson of Maryville, R. R. Staples of Burlington Junction, J. F. Kellogg of Skidmore, A. D. Barnett of Guilford, T. F. Merrigan of Clyde, E. C. Wolfers, Sr., of Hopkins, James W. Decker of Graham, and George W. Walton of Elmo.

The Primary Vote.

The total vote cast was 1,155, of which Roosevelt received 873 and Taft 243. Cummins and La Follette received a few votes. In Polk Township Roosevelt received 303 to Taft's 42, and outside of Maryville in the rural district, the cote stood Roosevelt 570, Taft 201.

In Jefferson, south precinct, there were no votes cast.

The vote by precincts is as follows:

	Cummins.	La Follette.	Roosevelt.	Taft.
Polk—First ward	1	1	69	9
Second ward	1	1	72	12
Third ward			70	10
Fourth ward	0	2	92	11
Atchison			25	19
Lincoln—North			54	8
South			3	
Hopkins	2	2	67	15
Independence—North			17	0
South		3	9	6
Union			40	8
Nodaway		7	55	27
Green			14	9
Jackson			31	39
Jefferson—North		1	23	9
South				
Grant			37	18
White Cloud—North			21	3
South			3	1
Hughes			90	14
Monroe			60	21
Washington—West			17	3
East		1	4	1
Total	4	18	873	243

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Joy of Elmo were in Maryville Saturday on business and visiting friends.

R. G. Cornelius of Omaha was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Murrin Sunday.

Mrs. V. W. Keene and Mrs. W. R. Smiley went to St. Joseph Monday morning.

Mrs. C. I. Hann and Miss Millie Kester of Burlington Junction spent Monday in the city.

Mrs. S. J. DeArmond went to Darlington Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. C. H. Engles.

George Anderson of Jenkins street has built on addition to his residence.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Jorgenson of Barnard were among Maryville's visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pistole of Hopkins were in the city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mahan and son of Hopkins were city visitors Monday.

WAS A REAL MUSICAL TREAT.

Cantata "Crucifixion and Ascension" Sunday Evening at Presbyterian Church Was Enjoyed.

The cantata "Crucifixion and Ascension," rendered on Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church by the choir, was a real musical event.

The cantata consists of a story, in song, of the life of Christ, and includes a description of his trial before Pilate, his crucifixion and subsequent resurrection and ascension.

The chorus work of the singers was particularly creditable. Unusually good work was done in the parts which described the clamor of the rabble before Pilate for Christ's crucifixion and the climax reached in the final chorus, "Blessing and Honor," was very effective and powerful.

The quartet work was done by Miss Jennie Garrett, soprano; Miss Lillian Lindholm, alto; Mr. Glenn Goff, tenor, and Mr. W. H. Crawford, bass. Their rendition of the quartet, "Fear Ye Not," was very pleasing.

The solo parts were taken by Mr. Gleff Goff and Mr. W. H. Crawford. Mr. Goff's voice was at its best, and while all his solos were well done, the one beginning with the words "So Pilate willing to content the people" was superb.

Mrs. George Eaton, Miss Helen Leffler, Mrs. Charles Leffler, Miss Lois Petty, Mr. Fred Petty, Mr. Philip Parcher, Mr. S. E. Farmer and Mr. Fred Lewis constituted the chorus, and Mrs. Roy Curfman presided at the organ.

MRS. WARREN PRESIDENT.

Maryville Woman Eelected to That Office by the New District Council of Garment Workers in St. Joseph.

A district council No. 12, United Garment Workers of America was organized at the St. Charles hotel at St. Joseph, April 6, composed of union No. 226, of Topeka, Kan., No. 104 of St. Joseph, No. 157 of Maryville.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. Nettie E. Warren of Maryville, president; Miss Amy Olson of Topeka, vice president; Miss Connor of St. Joseph, secretary-treasurer.

The trustees chosen were Miss Maggie Allen of Maryville, Miss Anna Cole of Topeka and W. E. Pruitt of St. Joseph.

Miss Kate Lamb of St. Joseph was elected guide and J. L. Wines of St. Joseph business manager and label secretary.

Meetings will be held twice a year, the first of June and the first of January.

CONCEPTION BAND IN CITY.

Made Their Annual Visit Here Monday, Serenading Business Men and Catholic Schools.

The Conception college band of Conception, Fr. Johchinn, director, made its annual visit to Maryville Monday and spent the day with friends, serenading our business men and the two Catholic schools of our city. They dined at Binter's cafe. The members of the band are: J. Buettner, E. Goetz, T. Ossweiler, M. Legill, W. Felix, Cl. Schneider, R. Schappler, J. Forester, J. Underberg, J. Lehman, J. Paschang, J. McDonnell, L. Diebold, J. Burke, H. Wagner, L. Franken, E. Meyer, H. Hans, J. Georgen, A. Koehler, B. Barnes, E. McKenna, H. Newman, Joseph Bremerick, John Bremerick, J. Stangl, J. Martin, R. Lyons, L. Ford, A. Bansbacht, W. McHoes, F. Baron, T. Wolfe, J. Weikart, M. Clark, M. Dickhont, Fr. James.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lincoln and daughter, Miss Marcella of Pickering were in the city Monday, returning home from an Easter visit with their son, O. A. Lincoln, and family of Burlington Junction.

Mrs. R. L. Houghtaling and sons, Donald and Perry, returned to their home in Bolckow Saturday evening from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Miller, east of Maryville.

Mrs. S. Ramey and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. William Ramey, spent Saturday in Maryville with Mrs. Ramey's daughter, Miss Ruth Ramey, a State Normal student.

Miss Elizabeth Doran and her niece, Elizabeth Colvin, of Dakota, and Miss Elizabeth Heffern were Easter Sunday guests of Misses Louise and Agnes McCann of Clyde.

Mrs. Frank Compton of Burlington Junction came to the city Monday for a two days' visit with her sister, Mrs Ada Jones.

Miss Neva Airy went to Barnard Saturday evening to spend Easter Sunday with Miss Anna Hartley.

APPEAL FOR HELP

COMMITTEE SOLICITING FUNDS TO AID CRIPPLED BOY.

WILL GO TO DR. MURPHY

Carl Wright to Enter St. Francis Hospital for a Course of Treatment of Eighteen Months.

Carl Wright, the little crippled boy of our city, in whom many have become interested, will now have a chance for complete recovery from his affliction, tuberculosis of the hip joint, if the people of Maryville will respond to the call of a committee that will solicit funds for his benefit on Tuesday.

Dr. Wm. Wallis, Jr., and Dr. C. T. Bell will have charge of his case while he is being prepared for the great surgeon, Dr. Murphy of Chicago, and they will give their services free. The medicine that will be used to kill the germs and heal the tissues has been secured at actual cost, which will be $1.50 a week. It will be necessary for the boy to remain at St. Francis hospital for treatment for eighteen months. It is not yet known what the cost will be to keep him at the hospital, but it is known it will take $500 to get him ready for the operation that will save his life. Let everyone respond as liberally as possible in this good cause.

TO MAKE TRIP TO THE WEST.

Mr. and Mrs. Beech to Leave Tuesday Morning for Pacific Coast.

Postmaster and Mrs. S. R. Beech will leave Tuesday for a two months' trip in the west. They will visit at Seattle, Wash., San Francisco, Oakland, Los Angeles and San Diego in California; Salt Lake City, Utah; and Pueblo and Denver, Colo. They expect to be home about June 1.

A. L. Hunt returned to Grant City Monday after a few days' visit with his brother, Judge W. H. Conn.

THORNTON IS BETTER.

Graham Man Much Improved Today—The Taylors Gave Bond Sunday

A. J. Thornton of Graham, who was beaten up Friday by C. E. Taylor and his son, Bronson Taylor, is much better Monday, and his physicians report that he is out of danger unless some unforeseen complications set in.

C. E. Taylor and Bronson Taylor were arrested Saturday on an information issued by Prosecuting Attorney George Pat Wright, charging them with assault with intent to kill. They gave bond for $1,000 each and their cases will come up at the June term of circuit court.

Visiting Sick Sister.

Mrs. Oliver McNeal and son of near Graham went to Kansas City Saturday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Lewis Egan, who is quite sick and will be taken to Excelsior Springs for treatment.

Mrs. J. C. Moore and twin sons, Albert and Arlan, and daughter, Miss Dorris of Omaha arrived Monday from St. Joseph for a two days' visit with her brother, Roy Yeaman and family. She was accompanied by her grandfather, E. B. Yeaman of St. Joseph.

Mrs. William Green returned to her home in Pickering Monday from a several days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Glover Kelley, Mrs. John Wallace, and Mrs. Frank Green, and was accompanied by her granddaughter, Miss Florence Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wade and daughter of Brookfield and Mrs. J. J. Tribley and daughter, Miss Florence, of Cameron, who came to attend the golden wedding anniversary of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Wade, returned home Monday morning.

Mrs. Sarah Tarpley and daughter, Miss Hattie of near Skidmore arrived Monday forenoon for an extended visit with Mrs. Tarpley's daughter, Mrs. Ellen McDonald of North Buchanan street and J. H. Tarpley of West Sixth street.

Mrs. J. S. Paquin returned Saturday noon from St. Joseph, where she spent the winter with her son, Joseph Paquin, and family.

Mrs. M. V. Baker returned to her home at Barnard Saturday evening after a two days' visit with her niece, Mrs. D. C. Wilson.

DEATH OF JOHN M'KEE.

Passed Away Sunday morning at the Age of 74 Years—Burial at Shelton, Neb.

John McKee died Sunday morning at 6:30 o'clock, after a several months' illness. He was 74 years old and was an old soldier. He came to Nodaway county in 1867, and outside of spending several months in Southwestern Kansas, had always been a resident of this county.

Funeral services were held at the Christian church in Ravenwood, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. R. Green, pastor of the Harmony church. The body was taken to Shelton, Buffalo county, Neb., where he will be buried beside the remains of his wife, who died twenty-nine years ago.

The deceased is survived by seven children, who are: Thomas, Frank, Elmer and Ed McKee of Ravenwood, Mrs. Nannie Harbison of near Maryville, Mrs. Fannie Groves of Arkansas, and Mrs. Stella Torrey of Hutton, Mo.

CHICAGO WHITE SOX HERE.

Were in Maryville Monday Morning on Their Way to Des Moines, Ia.

A special train of twelve coaches containing the base ball team of the Chicago White Sox came to Maryville Monday morning from St. Joseph by way of Conception Junction, on account of there being a wreck on the Great Western at Blockton, Ia. The special train was in Maryville about one hour, and several of the newspaper correspondents came up to the city to send in news reports to the Chicago papers. The train left over the Burlington for Des Moines, Ia., where they are to play a practice game Monday afternoon.

MURDER CASE AT OREGON.

Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison Are the Attorneys for Defendant, Frank Vest.

The case against Frank Vest, charged with murdering Guy Stanley near Bigelow in Holt county, last December, was called Monday at Oregon with Judge W. C. Ellison on the bench. Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison of this city are the attorneys for the defendant.

Child Operated On.

Little Bob Harris, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Berney Harris was operated upon Saturday afternoon at St. Francis hospital for appendicities with which he was taken Friday night. The little boy was very sick and an operation had to be performed before the case was twenty-feur hours old in order to save his life. He is getting along nicely.

Organized a District Council.

Mrs. Nettie Warren went to St. Joseph Saturday evening to attend the organization of a district council of garment workers for this Northwest Missouri district. Mrs. Warren is president of the local council of the McDonald garment factory.

Returned From Clay County.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Skinner and son and daughter, Will and Miss Eunice, returned Monday noon from Barry, Clay county, Mo., where they took the body of Mrs. Skinner's father, Houlan Hunn, for burial last Saturday.

Average Weight 380 Pounds.

John Davis, who lives near Ravenwood, delivered to that town Monday seventy-four head of hogs to ship them out. The average weight was 380 pounds apiece, and forty of the hogs weigh over 40 pounds.

Visited Sick Father.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walker of Burlington Junction came to Maryville Monday and spent the day at St. Francis hospital with his father, C. L. Walker, who is improving nicely.

Have Colorado Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Garrett of Silverton, Col., arrived in Maryville Saturday on a visit to Mrs. Garrett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Price and brothers, Clun and Ralph Price.

Guest of Sheriff Tilson.

Mr. Charles Badger of St. Joseph was the guest of Sheriff W. R. Tilson Saturday.

Miss Mary Stundon went to Arkoe Saturday evening to spend Easter Sunday with her grandfather, John Stundon, Sr.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Tuesday; warmer tonight.

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Mrs. Jose Eckles and daughter, Mrs. Grace Dougherty, of Graham went to Bedford Monday noon to visit Mrs. Eckies' daughter, Mrs. Irl Walker, at the Garland hotel.

Miss Angie VanHorn and Miss Zylpha Spoor visited in St. Joseph over Easter Sunday with Miss VanHorn's brother, G. F. VanHorn, and family.

Mrs. J. M. Hughes of West Twelfth street returned Monday noon from a two months' visit with her son, Dr. J. E. Hughes, and family, at Shawnee, Okla.

Mrs. E. B. Beaslin of Ford City, who has been caring for her daughter, Miss Mary Beaslin at St. Francis hospital the past week, returned home Monday.

Mrs. James Evans of Bedison returned home Monday from a visit in Maryville since Friday with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Sarah Evans.

Mrs. S. J. Yeomans of Hopkins came to the city Saturday evening to make an Easter visit with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Yeomans.

Mrs. L. Ozenberger and little daughter Beatrice of St. Joseph are Easter guests of her daughter, Miss Birde Ozenberger, a state Normal student.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lutz of Pickering were in Maryville Monday on their way to Blanchard, Ia., to visit Mr. Lutz's daughter, Mrs. G. E. McElroy.

Miss Ivy Hawkins, a student at the state university at Columbia, is spending the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hawkins.

Miss Alma Hotchkiss of the St. Joseph high school faculty visited in Maryville Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Anna Hotchkiss.

Attorney Dale Wisdom of Bedford and Floyd Jackson of Shenandoah were in Maryville Saturday, the guests of J. B. Elis of the Fern theater.

H. D. Anderson of the Anderson-Frank clothing firm, went to Red Oak, Ia., Monday on business and will look after his farms there.

Mrs. G. W. Fencil of Holton, Kan., returned home Monday morning from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Vern Wallace.

Mrs. G. C. Trusty and daughter of Burlington Junction arrived Monday to visit her brother, Vern Wallace and wife.

Mrs. J. T. Linville went to St. Joseph Monday morning for a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Awalt.

Mrs. S. R. Groves and her son, C. L. Groves, of Barnard, were business visitors in Maryville Saturday.

Miss Bertha Cross of Hopkins was in the city Monday.

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STORE

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Elks' Dance Wednesday.

The Easter dance of the Elks' will be given on Wednesday night instead of Tuesday night.

Spring Rummage Sale.

The Young Ladies Mission Circle of the Christian church will hold its spring rummage sale the first week in May.

Will Hold Market.

The Wesleyan class of the First M. E. church Sunday school will hold a market the coming Saturday at Price & McNeal's furniture store.

Penelope Club Wednesday.

The Penelope Club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. N. F. Hopper on West Second street, instead of with Mrs. F. C. Conrad as was first announced.

Easter Sunday Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wells, living ten miles south of the city, had for their Easter Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Epperson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Epperson and family, and Mrs. Stella Epperson.

C. W. B. M. Meeting.

The C. W. B. M. of the Christian church met last Friday afternoon with Mrs. R. L. McDougal. Mrs. W. B. Porter was leader, and the topic was India, the country, the people, and the work of the C. W. B. M. Mrs. M. T. Henderson gave a book review of Sita, followed by a piano solo by Mrs. H. D. Anderson. A reading, "Toodle Finding the Heathen," was given by Mrs. A. C. Hopkins. Marvin Westfall spoke "Little Brown Baby." During the social hour the hostess served refreshments.

Easter Sale is Splendid.

The ladies of the M. E. church, South, met with splendid success in their Easter sale Saturday. Nearly every article was sold by noon Saturday and they gave themselves to serving ice cream during the afternoon. All who called were delightfully entertained with music on the grafanola by Miss Mildred Hancock, daughter of Manager Hancock of the Field-Lippman music store. The ladies in charge were Mrs. W. J. Parvin and Mrs. M. L. Hopper, the notion department; Mrs. Henry Thorp and Mrs. W. T. Gray, the market; Mrs. E. W. Heideman and Mrs. Raymond Barry, candy; Miss Susie Allen, ice cream.

Entertained T. A. G. Club.

Miss Alma Lucas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Lucas, entertained the T. A. G. club with an Easter party Saturday afternoon. Various games were played and an Easter egg hunt of considerable range furnished a good deal of fun. Miss Doris Sayler won the prize, a live Plymouth Rock chicken, and Miss Hazel Smith the booby prize, a bantam egg. The members of this new club, the name of which is to remain a profound secret forever and ever, are Miss Hazel Smith, Miss Doris Sayler, Miss Opal Nicholas, Miss Greta Kemp. A luncheon of cake, fruit salad and chocolate was served in the dining room by the hostess, the table being fancifully decorated with Easter eggs.

In Compliment to Her Daughter.

Mrs. William Wallis, Sr., entertained the P. E. O. chapter Saturday afternoon in compliment to her daughter, Mrs. Lafe C. Allender, who will leave the last of this month for her new home in Atlantic, Ia. Progressive forty-two was played at five tables. The prize, potted tulips, went to Miss Lella Bonewitz. A dainty two-course luncheon was served. The guests were Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. J. E. Bailey, Mrs. J. C. Denham, Mrs. Frank Garrett, Mrs. O. C. Hanna, Mrs. Harry Irwin, Mrs. W. A. Miller, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Mrs. M. G. Tate, Misses Hettie and May Anthony, Miss Lella Bonewitz, Miss Nelle Conrad, Miss Mae Corwin, Miss Fannie Hope, Miss Carrie Hopkins, Miss Nelle Hudson, Miss Alice Martin, Miss Donna Sisson, Miss Mabel Todd.

Entertained for Daughter.

Mrs. Hal T. Hooker entertained forty little girls with an Easter domino party Saturday afternoon, in compliment to her little daughter, Halcyon. The game prize, an Easter lily, went to Miss Georgia Evans. Refreshments in the colors of pink and white were served. The guests were Mildred Shinabargar, Mildred Manley, Alice Peery, Lucile Holmes, Mildred Eckert, Odette Wilderman, Lucile Wright, Marie Wright, Mabel Curnutt, Georgia Evans, Bernice Crawford, Helen Rose Crawford, Mary Carpenter, Doris Marie Goforth, Ada Diss, Mary Lewis, Elizabeth Keck, Elizabeth Nash, Madaline Strawn, Marie Cloud, Wilda Keef, Mabel Cook, Helen Davis, Mildred Bellows, Mary Margaret Richey, Gladys Bookman, Fay Farmer, Margaret Dietz, Esther Dietz, Blanche Gray, Mamie Price, Abbey Colden, Dale Skinner, Helen Dean, Alma Conley, Mary Miller, Marion Walker, Claracy Whaley, Agnes Sawyers, Lela Gibson.

Entertained Missionary Society.

Miss Lucile Airy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Airy, entertained the Young Ladies' Missionary society of the First M. E. church Saturday afternoon at its regular monthly meeting. Mrs. T. L. Wadley conducted the study for the afternoon, "Asia's Own Opinion of Christianity." Miss Audrey Howendobler read a paper on "Are Non-Christian Religions Religious?" Miss Dena Hartman gave a paper on "Radical Differences," and Miss Ada Clayton one on "How Should Christianity Be Presented." Mrs. Charles Gaugh gave a reading on "A Search After God." During the round table discussion of "Is Christianity the Final Religion?" the pastor, Dr. J. S. Ford, gave an instructive talk. There were two musical numbers, a piano solo by Miss Ada Clayton and a violin solo by Miss Edith Wilson. During the social hour the hostess was assisted by Miss Mary Q. Evans and Miss Maud Clark in serving luncheon. The May meeting will be held at the home of Miss Audrey Howendobler, instead of Mrs. Bruce Montgomery, who is recovering from her long illness.

Class Entertainment.

The class taught by Mrs. Calla Harman in the Bible school of the Christian church at Pickering gave an entertainment at the church Friday night for the benefit of the Orphans' Home at St. Louis, which netted them $2.70. This class maintains a ward in the Orphans' Home for anyone who is unfortunate and in need of that place. The Easter offering of the class on Sunday swelled the amount of Friday night's entertainment to $24.34. The program consisted of music, dialogues and drills and was a fine return for the patronage received. The class is composed of eighteen girls and five boys, who are Misses Irene Burk, Mabel Null, Audrey McMillen, Sallie Bosch, Ida Bosch, Marie Burk, Hazel Burk, Eva Burk, Myrtle Null, Effie McDowell, Mamie Vinzant, Lottie Neal, Eugenia Hull, Edith Jones, Edith Pfeiffer, Ocie Swaney, Cleo Porterfield, Nellie Morford, Messrs. George Crowson, Rex Lincoln, Orlow Lincoln, Arna Moberly and Elmer Hornbuckle. The Bible school of this church gave an Easter program at Sunday night's service that was very creditable and the offering amounted to $47.67.

Entertained the Little Folks.

Mrs. W. W. Glass and Miss Florence Young entertained the primary class of the Christian church Bible school at Mrs. Glass' home Saturday afternoon with an Easter party. The hostesses are teachers of this class, and they have an assistant in Mrs. Zetta Broyles. The first thing on the program was an egg hunt in which Elizabeth Flint won. There was a potato game and other nice games the children enjoyed and the last thing before the dainty refreshments was a contest in which each little guest, blindfolded, tried to pin Foxy Grandpa's hat on, Azalia Anderson being the only one who succeeded in getting it on at the proper tilt. The hostesses were assisted in entertaining by Mrs. A. B. Condon, Mrs. Arch Frank, Mrs. Will Miller, Mrs. Lee Crossan, Mrs. H. D. Anderson, Mrs. G. B. Roseberry and Mrs. Henry Westfall. The guests were Ned Colbert, Lora May Crossan, Azalia Anderson, Marion Anderson, Harlan Wray, Mildred Wray, Genevieve Todd, Dorothy Eaton, Ethel Martha Condon, Esther Roseberry, Marvin Westfall, Eva Margaret Frank, Harrie Miller Elizabeth Flint, Lona Gilbert, Lois Gilbert, Isabel Hamlin, Roberta Cook, Alta, Eugene, Clarence and Ella May Huffine, LaVern Robey, Margie, Alta and Raymond Turner, Loren and Burdette Yeo, Kenneth, May and Lora Reinhart, Marie Davenport, Elwin Broyles.

Box Supper and Dance.

There will be a box supper and dance at the W. O. W. hall Wednesday evening, April 10th. Everybody cordially invited. Proceeds for benefit of the degree team.

There will be a pie social at Mt. Ayr church 4 miles east of Maryville Thursday night, April 11th. Everybody invited.

Prosaic "Ghost."

Thinking they had seen a "ghost," a number of Dundee (Scotland) townsfolk, while walking through the cemetery recently, took to their heels and summoned the nearest gatekeeper. The "vision" which had aroused their alarm—that of a figure in scanty attire standing behind a gravestone, had vanished when they returned with reinforcements, and all there was to be seen was a large piece of red flannel. It afterwards transpired that the owner being greatly irritated by the flannel, which was next the skin, had gone to the cemetery with the idea of getting rid of it, which he could not do without shedding his garments.

The Way of The Wind

By Martha McCulloch-Williams

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The wind was the occasion—the cause lay much deeper. A tricksy south wind, fitful and flawy, now zephyr-soft, now blowing in mad swirls; you simply could not count on what it might or might not do, especially to hats perched perilously upon newly brushed soft puffs.

Mildred had put on her undulant crown, manifestly false, but very becoming, with more than maiden pride. Anne, her elder sister, a distressingly truthful person, had watched her between criticism and admiration, and had ended by saying:

"You'd better wait for Harriet. Sure as you walk, if the middle path is so sheltered, you'll get to Elba a tag-rag."

Mildred had shaken her head, smiling an uneasy smile. She had planned to go in the gray auto with Harriet, her best chum. That was before Harriet had risen to heights of patronizing condescension—rooted apparently in Mildred's need of the favors done her.

No girl of spirit could endure that—not even though she knew the real root of the matter wore trousers and answered to the name of Ellis Benson. He was fairly rich, more than fairly good looking, of an adventurous temper that had sent him around the world, ostensibly on business, but more for the sake of seeing sights and wonders. He had been wandering three full years, which in their passing had transformed Harriet and Mildred, the pig-tailed pair he had loved to pet and tease, into full-fledged young women. He had brought them strings of beads—turquoise for fair Mildred, coral for dark Harriet—and had not dreamed of anything but clasping the strangs about youthful throats, and taking kisses in reward. When he had actually made the gifts, presenting them stiffly, albeit his eyes twinkled, he had laughed inwardly—perhaps at his own former folly.

He liked them if they had grown up—and very nearly equally. But since Harriet had so much, Milly so little,

Almost wrenching off her hat.

he was rather inclined to do more for her. His kindly preference had set Harriet wild. All along she had had her mind set on marrying Ellis Benson. She was tired of the rich and tranquil countryside. She wanted a husband who would take her out into the thick of things. Further, as an only child and heiress, she had grown up rather spoiled, to think that the best of everything was her due. Mildred's charm for her had lain in a certain loving generosity, which made her not merely willing but eager to give Harriet, in everything, the first place.

Benson had come home in midsummer. In September he had gone away for a while. Now in late October his aunt, Mrs. Lane, mistress of Elba, the show place of the neighborhood, was giving a garden party, which she called her chrysanthemum show.

Ellis was coming back for it—so much everybody knew. Therefore Harriet had ordered three new frocks for it, partly because she could not make up her mind as to one, partly also by way of triumphing over Mildred, who could do no more than make over her grandmamma's pink brocade. Time had softened it and, thanks to hobble skirts, the pattern was ample. When at last the frock was finished, touched here and there with cobweb yellow lace, and wonderfully fitted to Mildred's lissome slimness, it had truly an air of Paris, all the more that she had put into it the veriest glints of blue, exactly matching her string of turquoises. There was just a hint of the same blue amid the fluffy feathers of her wide-brimmed white hat. Altogether, when at last she was ready to go, Anne was not far wrong in saying, with a regretful sigh:

"It's a shame to let you waste yourself—looking as you do—but you always were too hard-headed for anything."

The middle path, the short cut to Elba, ran squarely into the main drive as it curved in from the highway. The path led over a stile in hedge, cunningly hidden by tall shrubs. Mildred had got safely over this stile, and was settling herself to walk the rest of the path serenely, when the wind flew at her, almost wrenching off her hat, and wrapping her long coat so closely about her she could barely move. There was nothing for it but to go forward, head on, seeing no more of the way than the next step.

Thus, when the path ended in the main road, she ran plump into Ellis Benson—who had also come afoot—to his own amazement. He was thinking hard—Mildred bumped against him before he was fairly aware of her presence. He caught her gently in his arms, saying with a laugh:

"Has the sky fallen that I am catching a lark?"

"Why! I—it's the wind—and this—rubbish-y hat," Mildred panted, putting both hands up to straighten the brim of her headpiece.

Ellis surveyed it critically. "It is—not exactly a walking hat," he said. "Now—why didn't you wait for your fairy godmother's coach-and-sixty horse power? A car, making its own wind, can beat this small disturbance hands down.'

"Fairy godmothers went out with Santa Claus," Mildred said, blushing faintly, but trying to ignore the undermeaning of his words.

He shook his head at her. "A skeptic," he said sorrowfully. "What am I going to do about it? I want her to believe—oh, a great many things."

"What sort of things?" Mildred asked, still clutching her hat. "But wait and tell me after I have found shelter,' she added, making to walk on.

The wind blew harder than ever. In her swathing skirt, she could barely mince, and even mincing she tottered. Benson steadied her, made himself a shield, and ran on:

"One is—the reason I went away. Did you really believe it was business?"

"I didn't know," Mildred said simply—but her heart was beating fast.

Benson looked down at her with a kindly quizzical smile: "It was—the greatest of all business,' he said. "An effort to—know my own heart."

"Indeed!" Mildred vouchsafed, drawing a little away, in fear he might overhear the riot of her blood.

He nodded. "I need a wife," he said, dispassionately. "I knew it—the minute I saw you—and Harriet. Both of you seemed exactly made for me—yet, society is so narrow, I had to choose—"

"You were sure of us, I suppose!" Mildred interrupted.

He shook his head. "I was sure of—nothing," he said. "Not all the time I was gone—I came back as uncertain."

Here the wind took a stronger hand—blew and blew until perforce he drew Mildred well within his arms. The blast drowned the purring of a motor moving so laggardly one knew it must very soon stop dead. Stop it did, just level with the pair; a voice from within said, with an underacid note:

"Congratulations—if they are in order."

"They are," Benson said, gravely. "At least I hope so," lifting Mildred's hand to his lips. In her ear he added: "Darling, the wind chose for me. The minute it flung you in my arms—I knew."

Probably He Had To.

"A real smart lawyer can do almost anything," said Ald. Max Grass, in relating a certain court action. "It reminds me of a story.

"Some years ago, a man was arrested, charged with stealing a watch and chain. He engaged as his lawyer one of the best men in the city on criminal law.

"The man was brought to trial. Testimony was given by both sides. All material testimony by the prosecution was broken down by the attorney for the defense. When the trial ended, all that the prosecution had established was the fact that the watch and chain were missing.

"'You are discharged,' said the court to the prisoner."

"The prisoner stood irresolute.

"'Do you understand?' asked the court. 'You are discharged.'

"Still the prisoner stood mute.

"'You are discharged,' again said the court. 'Is there anything else that you want.'

"'Yes, judge,' answered the man. 'I would like to know whether or not I have to return the watch and chain?'" —Milwaukee Free Press.

Good Work of Engineers.

The Butte of Montmartre, Paris, the "sacred" Mount of Martyrs, "the pimple of the world," has been pierced by engineers working for the Nord-Sud railway. Two and a half years have been occupied in the operation. The pleasant fact, connected with the tunneling, that will put the famous Place Pigalle in direct communication with the Place Constantin Pecquur—an important link in the chain of underground Paris—is the absence of all accidents. And yet this Mount of Martyrs, upon which is perched the great Church of Sacre Coeur, is dangerous soil to work in.

Trifle Disconcerting.

Mr. Newlyrich (who has at last maneuvered his ruby ring under the eyes of the great foreign banker)—Ah, Baron, I see you've at last noticed my beautiful rubies!

The Baron (sadly)—Ach, yes! Dey make me think of home—I haf a mantelpieth of dem dere.—Bystander.

Conversational Strategy.

"I observe that you never contradict any theory that Mr. Heftybrane advances."

"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne; "he's likely to get through talking much sooner if you don't break in and suggest new topics."

Where He Burns It.

Mrs. Hoyle—I understand your husband has money to burn.

Mrs. Doyle—Yes; and I can show you the crematory.

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Returned From the Southland.

Mr. Clive C. Graves returned Saturday noon from a two weeks' trip in Arkansas and Louisiana. He saw hundreds of acres of land under water in Louisiana, and also saw some rich land there. The past winter has been cold and rainy in that country, an unusual thing there.

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When Caused by Catarrh.

If you have ringing noises in your ears, catarrh germs are making their way from the nose to the ears through the tubes.

Many cases of deafness caused by catarrh have been cured by breathing Hyomei. It reaches the inflamed membrane, heals the soreness and banishes catarrh, which is the cause of most deafness.

F. C. Vanaman, railroad conductor of Binghamton, N. Y., writes that he was cured of deafness after specialists had failed.

Hyomei (pronounce it High-o-me) is guaranteed to cure catarrh, coughs, colds, asthma, croup and sore throat, or money back. Complete outfit with inhaler $1.00. Extra bottles 50 cents. Sold by the Orear-Henry Drug Co., the enterprising pharmacists, and druggists everywhere.

Easter Guests at Hull Home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Downer of Hopkins were Eastertide visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman W. Hull, north of Maryville, as the guests of Mrs. Clara Stewart, the aunt of Mrs. Hull, who resides there. Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Downer are sisters-in-law.

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MORE TROUBLE FOR SAN DIEGO

Industrial Workers Mobilizing to March to Southern City.

WASHINGTON MILLS TO REOPEN

Canadian Railroad Contractors Prepare to Use 1,000 Men Under Police Protection—Trying to Secure American Laborers.

San Francisco, April 8.—San Diego has been beset by the free speech agitators since January 1, and a new army, numbering 1,000 men, it is announced, will mobilize in San Francisco, Sacramento and Stockton and march to the southern city. Posses of police, special deputies and citizens have deported some of the invaders and have repulsed others at the outskirts of San Diego. They assert they will meet the reinforcements now headed southward and drive them back.

The enactment of an anti-street speaking ordinance precipitated the San Diego struggle and protest meeting of 5,000 persons, including members of the Industrial Workers of the World, Socialists and the American Federation of Labor. The two latter have remained in the fight with the Industrial Workers.

New allies come daily. Some ride on brake beams and some walk into the city. Many have been taken to the outskirts of the ecity, supplied with water and sent back across the desert.

Mills Defy the I. W. W.

Seattle, Wash., April 8.—Railroad contractors in British Columbia and sawmill operators in Southwestern Washington will endeavor to resume operations after a long tieup brought about by the strike called by the Industrial Workers of the World. In British Columbia 6,000 laborers employed in building the Canadian Northern railroad have been out ten days. The contractors have made preparations to put 1,000 men to work and the provincial government has promised police protection. Aside from interference with the delivery of supplies there has been no violence in the railroad camps.

Granted Increase.

In Southwestern Washington sawmill operations have been at a standstill for several weeks. The operators have granted an increase in wages, but have declared that they will not employ members of the Industrial Workers of the World. Efforts are being made to fill the places of the foreign strikers with American labor, but the strike leaders declare that enough labor of this class cannot be obtained to operate the mills and insist that they will keep the mills closed until the employers deal with the organization.

The only attempt made by the Industrial Workers to interfere with the mills in the Puget Sound district is at Tacoma, where some of the men employed in one of the largest mills in the state have been induced to walk out. Pickets have been thrown around the plant. Mill owners have appealed to the Tacoma police to protect the loyal workmen.

ARIZONA AMENDS RECALL BILL

Senate Discovered Error and Has Measure Brought Back for Correction.

Phoenix, Ariz., April 8.—The recall was applied to the judiciary recall constitutional amendment when the state senate, discovering that it had committed an error of omission when the bill was passed several days ago, asked that it be brought back for correction.

After the measure had been in the house several days the senate learned that it had incorporated in the bill only the proposition of submitting the amendment to a vote of the people. It is understood that the senate will enact the measure with an amendment setting forth its approval of the judiciary recall principle, which was left out of the bill originally.

FOUR TRAINMEN WERE INJURED

Frisco Fast Train Wrecked by Spreading Rails Near Girard, Kansas.

Girard, Kan., April 8.—Four of the train crew were injured when the fast San Francisco train No. 113, the "Hustler," from Kansas City to Oklahoma, was wrecked near here. The wreck is believed to have been due to spreading rails.

S. L. German of Fort Scott, the conductor, William Mankin of Sapulpa, Ok., the engineer, L. C. Woodside of Sapulpa, Ok., the fireman and "Daddy" Clark of Kansas City, the baggageman, were injured. No passengers were injured.

Oil Inspection Pays.

Topeka, April 8.—J. S. Longshore state oil inspector, in an annual report made to the governor, shows that his department has collected more than $60,000 in fees in the last year. The inspections of oil and gasoline are made at 122 stations. The report shows that 324,110 barrels of oil and 321,028 barrels of gasoline were inspected.

THIEVES GOT GOV. WILSON'S PAPERS

Suitcase Containing Correspondence Taken in Chicago.

SECRETARY SUSPECTS ENEMIES

Presidential Candidate Hesitates to Suggest Political Antagonists—Left for Syracuse Without Baggage.

Chicago, April 8.—Thieves stole a big suitcase containing wearing apparel and important private correspondence and papers from the apartments of Governor Woodrow Wilson at the Hotel Sherman. He left for Syracuse, N. Y., with only the clothes he wore.

The presidential candidate was disturbed when he discovered his loss but asserted there was nothing in the case that he would fear to show to any interested person or to the country at large.

Governor Wilson hesitated to suggest that any political antagonist was back of the theft, although conceding its disappearance was "suspicious." Others in his party, including his Illinois managers, however, were not so considerate.

Secretary is Suspicious.

"It has political earmarks," Walter Measday, his secretary, said. That opinion was echoed by Dudley Field Malone, son-in-law of United States Senator O'Gorman of New York and Governor Wilson's companion campaigner.

The governor missed the traveling bag when he returned after dining with the Rev. P. J. O'Callahan and other Paulist fathers of St. Mary's church. Mr. Malone had accompanied him.

Mr. Feasday was in the rooms afterwards, and when he left, the suitcase in the governor's room had not been disturbed. He had misplaced the key and went to the office to tell the clerk to have the door locked.

Toilet Set Untouched.

The clerk misunderstood him and, believing he wanted the door of the Wilson headquarters, on the parlor floor, unlocked, sent a bellboy to these rooms. The boy did not visit the governor's private suite.

Governor Wilson returned to the hotel at 2:50 o'clock and hurried to his apartments to finish packing. His toilet articles, including silver backed brushes, were on the dresser, but the suitcase was gone. A few minutes afterwards his visitors called and they joined in the fruitless search. The hotel management called in the house detectives.

It was learned that a tall, slender man, carrying a suitcase answering the description given by the governor, had left the hotel between 2 and 3 o'clock. He was accompanied by a man who carried a small handbag. They engaged a taxicab and were driven to the Northwestern station, remarking that they wanted to catch "the Milwaukee train."

EDITOR SAUER WAS UNINJURED

California Newspaper Man Taken From San Diego Hesitates to go Back at Present.

Escondido, Cal., April 8.—A. R. Sauer, the editor who was kidnapped in San Diego, thirty miles from here, walked into this place. He was uninjured and had been set down outside the town by the motor car in which he was taken from San Diego.

Sauer said he would not go back to San Diego at present. He did not believe he would be safe from attacks if he did so, because of the attitude his paper had taken on the Industrial Workers of the World troubles there. He said he would go to Los Angeles.

RICHMOND LODGE ROOMS ARE DRY

Recent Court Decision Causes Eagles and Elks of Town to Close Their Buffets.

Richmond, Mo., April 8.—By reason of a recent decision of the Kansas City court of appeals, the Eagles and Elks of this place have closed their buffets. Prohibition has been in effect in Richmond four years, the limit expiring something over a month ago. This decision of the court has started an agitation for another election and it is understood that a petition is in preparation to be presented to the city council asking a vote at the earliest opportunity to restore the saloons.

Murderer to Be Shot.

Salt Lake City, April 8.—Julius Sirmay, convicted of murdering Frank Karrick, a 14-year-old boy, was sentenced by Judge Armstrong to be shot May 22. Young Karrick came home from school and discovered Sirmay robbing his house. When the boy attempted to call for help, Sirmay shot and killed him. The supreme court denied an appeal for rehearing.

Wife Cut Her Throat.

Sedalia, Mo., April 8.—Brooding over ill health prompted Mrs. Charles Monsees, 45 year sold, of Smithton, Mo., wife of a prominent farmer and stockman, to attempt suicide by cutting her throat with a razor and inflicting injuries resulting in her death.

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Easter With Her Grandmother.

Miss May Hinton of Pickering came to Maryville Saturday evening to visit over Easter with her grandmother, Mrs. Jane Conklin, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Holloway, west of Maryville.

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On Visit to Brothers.

Mr. Fletcher Irwin of Chicago, who, with Mrs. Irwin, arrived in Maryville Saturday noon, left the same evening for Los Angeles, Cal., to spend his two weeks, vacation with his brothers, Messrs. Harry M. and Charles Irwin.

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MISSOURI CROP REPORT IS OUT

DESPITE LATE SEASON BUMPER YIELD IS EXPECTED.

Much Wheat Winter Killed But Farmers are Advised to Delay Plowing it Up.

Columbia, Mo., April 8.—The conditions of winter wheat in Missouri, according to the first crop report of the year just issued by the state agriculture board is 78 as compared with 98 a year ago. Owing to the fact that March was cold and wet practically no farming has been done. Correspondents report no potatoes planted and no gardens made.

Notwithstanding the fact that the season is very late the prospect for "bumper" crops is strong. As soon as the ground is dry enough to work it is believed that it will be found to be in excellent condition owing to the heavy fall of snow and much freezing.

Much wheat, especially that seeded late, is apparently winter killed; some is reported badly "heaved" out of the ground. However, it is too early to determine just the true condition of the growing crop and the report says that farmers should be slow to plow it up. There is reason for believing that much wheat, now apparently dead, will come out well. The condition of wheat by sections is: Northeast, 73; northwest, 92; central, 79; southwest, 74; southeast, 74.

The seeding of the oat crop is the latest in the history of the state. On April 1 less than 1 per cent had been seeded. A year ago 19 per cent of the oat crop had been sown. Practically no plowing has been done for corn. It is estimated that 18.6 per cent of last year's corn crop is still on Missouri farms. Ninety per cent of the correspondents report a scarcity of good seed corn.

The number of hogs on feed as compared with an average year is 46 per cent. This shortage is evidently due to a marked scarcity of feed. The number of cattle on feed as compared with an average year is 50 per cent.

KANSAS EMBEZZLER SURRENDERS

After Six Weeks of Wandering Sylvan Grove Cashier is Overcome by Remorse.

St. Louis, April 8.—After wandering disconsolately for six weeks from one city to another, Ben F Stuive, 22 years old, of Sylvan Grove, Kan., was overcome by the knowledge that he had misused $1,000 belonging to a bank in his home town and wrote back from St. Louis telling where he was.

In the office of the chief of detectives, Stuive related how he came to falsify his accounts while assistant cashier in the Farmers' State Bank of Sylvan Grove. He declared he never had been in trouble before.

"The worst thing I did was to forge a draft for $500 when I bought my motor car," he said. "I wrote a draft in favor of the other bank in our town and got it cashed.

"People acted so that I never used it more than a dozen times. Then I sold it for $400. I have not received the purchase price so I have been unable to do anything about that draft.

"The rest of the $1,000 I took in small sums."

WAS "INSTRUCTED" TO GO NUDE

Kansan Arrested in Louisiana Followed Command of "A Voice From the Clouds."

Homer, La., April 8.— Saying that a "voice from the clouds" had instructed him to wear no clothes, a man was arrested here just as he started a walk down a residence street in that condition. He gave his name as Allen Bagley. He says his home is Elk City, Kas., and that he has a sister living there. He also admits having served a term in prison at Walla Walla, Wash. The man was discovered by a negro boy and a circus crowd soon gathered and threatened violence. Bagley, however, continued his walk without concern until a deputy sheriff, with trousers and an overcoat, arrived and arrested him.

SEDALIA STRIKERS REMAIN OUT

After Two Days Conference, Men Refused to Resume Work and Outsiders Will be Used.

Sedalia, Mo., April 8.—After a two days' conference, the striking carmen on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway have declined to return to work. Two hundred more men are wanted in the Sedalia shops, as freight car building is to be added to the departments already in operation. The old men, who have been out since September 23, were given first choice, but declined to accept, and new men will now be brought in.

To Hold Army Horse Show.

Leavenworth, Kan., April 8.—Preparations are being made at Fort Leavenworth for the annual horse show, which is one of the big social events of the season at the post. It will be held in the riding school next Saturday, April 13.

Japan Buys Balloon.

Berlin, April 8.—A report is published here that the Parseval dirigible balloon, which has just been completed, has been sold to the Japanese government.

NEW YORK GETS FIRST TORNADO

House Blown Down, Trees Uprooted and Much Damage Done.

HUNDREDS SERIOUSLY INJURED

Wind Carries Destruction Into New Jersey Also, Where One Death is Reported—Much Damage to Shipping Along Hudson.

New York, April 8.—At least one person was killed, more than a hundred were injured, several probably fatally, and inestimable damage was done to property by a tornado which left a circuitous path of destruction in its wake in this state and New Jersey late in the afternoon.

Buildings were blown down, roofs torn off, trees uprooted and cars blown from the track.

At Clifton, N. J., the wind demolished a two-story frame building in which 22 men sat in a saloon on the first floor. Anthony Leonardi was found dead in the wreckage and ten other men were dug out badly injured.

Narrowly Escaped Drowning.

Great damage was done to shipping along the Hudson and there were several narrow escapes from drowning. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Herd were thrown into the Hudson by a capsizing skiff at Tonafly, N. J., and would have drowned but for the powerful swimming of Herd who, holding his wife above water, covered 300 yards through a rough sea to a barge.

Five buildings were destroyed at Yonkers. One house collapsed on a policeman as he slept, burying him in plaster.

A pole bearing an electric light crashed into a house on the main street, setting it afire. Several persons were injured. In New York City the wind reached a velocity of 86 miles an hour.

Looked Like April Shower.

Middletown, N. Y., April 8.—A tornado which demolished buildings, blew railroad cars from the tracks, uprooted trees and caused injuries to a score or more people struck South Fallsburgh, Sullivan county, late in the afternoon. South Fallsburgh is a village of 500 inhabitants 110 miles from New York. The storm made its appearance in the guise of an April shower. It had been raining for a time when a black cloud made its appearance in the west. It first seemed to strike the general store of Chester E. Couch. The three-story frame structure moved off its foundations. The sidewalks fell out and the roof fell in. The postoffice was also in this building. Postmaster and Mrs. Charles Denniston and Mr. Couch occupied apartments upstairs. They had as guests Rev. Joseph C Carley, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Atwell and Samuel Lynch. All were rescued from the debris severely bruised.

Hatchs' feed mill, Gardner's cider mill, the Fallsburgh hotel, livery stable and several smaller buildings were also wrecked. Many houses were moved from their foundations and the streets were filled with wreckage.

KANSAS PLANS STATE PARKS

Proposition for System of Memorial Sites and Playgrounds Under Consideration.

Topeka, April 8.—A complete system of public parks, memorial sites and playgrounds is being planned by the state conservation commission and will be presented to the next legislature. The plan contemplates pleasure spots throughout the state; restoration of historic points such as at Pawnee Rock, where a monument is shortly to be erected in honor of the old frontier days, enlargement of the state park already at Hays so as to take in old Fort Hays; health resorts and public playgrounds.

The commission has just held its second meeting since its creation and ordered a bulletin printed of the plans worked out by the committees for the improvement and conservation of the state's water supply, lands, state parks, forestry, drainage, soils, schools and public health.

Dog Warned Men of Tornado.

Shawnee, Ok., April 8.—The frantic cries of a dog saved the lives of Stephen Heal and four other men, who were at work in a barn on Heal's farm near here. When the men stepped from the building to see what caused the dog to bark a tornado swept the barn from its foundation and carried it fifteen feet away. The tornado caused much damage in this part of the country.

Send Strike Children Away.

Passaic, N J., April 8.—Arrangements are being made to send to New York more than one thousand children of the three thousand operatives now on strike for union recognition, higher wages and shorter hours in the textile mills in this city and vicinity. That is the plan followed by the strikers in Lawrence, Mass.

First Sunstroke Reported.

New York, April 8.—Richard McCardle, 89 years old, was overcome by the heat here according to Doctor Andrews of the Flower hospital. It was the first heat prostration of the season.

IS FULL OF COMPLEXITIES

Drawback to the Much Vaunted Simple Life Is That It Is Not Simple.

The real drawback to "the simple life" is that it is not simple. If you are living it, you positively can do nothing else. There is not time. For the simple life demands virtually that there shall be no specialization. The hausfrau who is living the simple life must, after all, sweep, scour, wash and mend. She must also cook; from that even Battle Creek cannot save her.

She may dream sternly of Margaret Fuller, who read Plato while she pared apples; but in her secret heart she knows that either Plato or the apples suffered. And from what point of view is it simpler to have a maid of all work than to indulge one's self in liveried lackeys? Not, obviously, for the mistress; and it is surely simpler to be an adequate second footman than to be an adequate bonne a tout faire.

We should really simplify life by having more servants rather than fewer; more luxury instead of less. The smoothest machinery is the most complicated; and which of us wants to sink the Mauretania and go back to Robert Fulton's steamboat? One would think that the decision would be made naturally for one by one's income. But it is the triumph of the new paradox that this is not so.

Thousands of people seem to be infected with the idea that by doing more themselves, they bestow leisure on others; that by wearing shabby clothes they somehow make it possible for others to dress better—though they thus admit tacitly that leisure and elegance are not evil things.—K. F. Gerould in Atlantic Monthly.

GENUINE TRIBUTE TO WOMAN

Robert G. Ingersoll's Eloquent Appreciation of the Qualities of the Gentler Sex.

It takes 100 men to make an encampment, but one woman can make a home. I not only admire woman as the most beautiful object ever created, but I reverence her as the redeeming glory of humanity, the sanctuary of all virtues, the pledge of all perfect qualities of heart and head. It is not just nor right to lay the sins of men at the feet of women. It is because women are so much better than men that their faults are considered greater. A man's desire is the foundation of his love, but a woman's desire is born of her love. The one thing in this world that is constant, the one peak that rises above all clouds, the one window in which the light forever burns, the one star that darkness cannot quench is woman's love. It rises to the greatest heights, it sinks to the lowest depths. It forgives the most cruel injuries. It is perennial of life and grows in every climate. Neither coldness nor neglect, harshness nor cruelty can extinguish it. A woman's love is the perfume of the heart. This is the real love that subdues the earth; the love that has wrought all miracles of art; that gives us music all the way from the cradle song to the grand closing symphony that bears the soul away on wings of fire. A love that is greater than power, sweeter than life and stronger than death.—Robert G. Ingersoll.

Legislative Optimist.

A novel description of an optimist was given recently by a congressman who had suffered an onslaught of popular protest in "appeals" from his district. He insisted that an optimist was a man who could make "nice, sweet, pink lemonade out of the yellow, sour things called 'lemons' that have been handed him."

"That," he said, with a grimace, "is what I call an optimist." May it not also be true, as one of his companions suggested, that some of the sweetest things in life owe much of their attractiveness to the subacid, aromatic influence of this same sour "lemon" which is so frequently "handed" political leaders?

The joke was repeated in the presence of an attache of a foreign delegation, who thought it so good that he wanted to pass it on, but he failed to catch the full significance of the phrase "handed a lemon," so he changed the expression to "making nice, sweet, pink lemonade out of yellow addled eggs thrown at him, you know," and when there was a smile he retorted hastily: "Oh—perhaps I've got the yellow eggs broke?"—National Magazine.

Disliked Being Questioned.

Bishop Thirlwall, an English prelate, had the greatest possible aversion to answering questions. One day a tailor said to him, when he had been summoned to take the bishop's measurements: "What are your lordship's orders?" "I want a suit of clothes." "Here is a very nice cloth, my lord." "Ah!" "And this is likewise a very good one." "Yes." "Here is another, of excellent quality." "Very." "Which material will your lordship decide upon?" "I want a suit of clothes!" And that was all the answer the tailor could get. When the new gardener accosted him as he was walking, book in hand, in the garden, to ask: "How will your lordship have this border laid out?" there was no answer. "How will your lorship be pleased to have this border laid out?" was the next attempt. Still there was no reply; but when the question was repeated for the third time, the answer came: "You are the gardener, I believe, and I am the bishop!"

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FOR SALE—White Champion oats, two Shorthorn bulls. S. H. Wells, Mutual phone 44-19. 6-12

FOR SALE—Rose Comb R. I. Reds. Eggs, 15 for 75 cents; 50 eggs or more, 4 cents apiece. Mrs. J. J. Barr, Maryville. R. D. 7. Hanamo, 2 F. 5-8

FOR SALE—Early seed oats, Early Ohio potatoes, timothy and clover hay, a good heavy work mare and cultivator. Mrs. J. C. Inman, Maryville, Mo. R. D. 3. Phone Bedison central. 8-10

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Mrs. S. K. Chappell, living southwest of Maryville, went to Savannah Saturday evening to visit over Easter Sunday with her nephew, Thomas Conklin, and family.

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MARCUS AURELIUS MAKES THE FIFTH IN THE SENATE.

HAS LAID DOWN FIDDLE

Senator Taylor's Mission in Life of Spreading Happiness and Dispensing Sunshine is Finished.

(By VAN CLEVE.)

Washington, D. C., April 3.—A scene was witnessed in the United States senate yesterday that will hardly be repeated during the present generation. Four new senators took the oath of office together. They were Senators Ashurt and Smith of Arizona, Democrats, and Senators Catron and Falt of New Mexico, Republicans. This increases the full membership of the senate to ninety-six, although there are now two vacancies. The new senators are pioneer representatives of the west, and presented a picturesque spectacle among the pale-faced but seasoned members of the upper house. To add to the novelty of the occasion it was necessary to resort to a lottery to determine the terms to which each of the new men should be entitled. They had been given "indeterminate sentences" by their people, and there seemed no better way to fix their terms of membership. The full term in the senate is six years, and the senate is divided into three groups, one-third going out every two years. This leaves two-thirds of the membership always experienced and onto the ropes. In the house of representatives the entire membership goes out every two years, and only those who secure a re-election save it from being made up entirely of raw and untried recruits.

In the early organization of the senate our statesmen resorted to the drawing to determine who should have the long and who should have the short terms, and it seems never to have gone out of fashion. The addition of these senators does not change the political complexion of the senate, as there are two of each party, but it does add one more member to the Smith colony. There are now five Smiths in the senate. Michigan, Maryland, South Carolina, Georgia and Arizona have all recognized the claims of the Smith family, and have given them a place in the senate. All are Democrats except Senator Smith of Michigan, who is some sort of a conservative-progressive-standpat Republican.

The membership of the senate will likely remain where it is for many years to come, and the number ninety-six may be safely memorized without danger of immediate change. Arizona and New Mexico are the last of the territories within the United States proper to become states. Our outlying territories are not fit for statehood and may never be. Unless some of the present states are divided the number will remain at forty-eight for many years.

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Senator Robert L. Taylor has laid down the fiddle and the bow and to dust has returned. In the death of Bob Taylor the world has lost a good friend. He was not a man of conspicuous mental strength, but as the apostle of mirth and melody he had won a place in millions of American hearts. He was a remarkable character. Born in Happy Valley, amidst the mountains of Tennessee, he made it his special mission in life to spread happiness and dispense sunshine. He was an artist with the violin and he sang and played to the people of the mountain district in which he lived until they sent him to congress. He afterward went out into the state and fiddled his way into the governor's mansion. He made a good governor, noted for his kind heart and generous dealing with his people. He was one of the best story tellers in the whole country. His being teemed with humor, and no occasion ever arose that Boy Taylor did not have a story in hand to fit the occasion. He traveled in nearly every state in the Union delivering his famous lectures, compelling tears and laughter in turns. Although his native state has been torn with political dissession and personal antagonisms, his music always had power to soothe the savage feelings of his people, and they sent him at last to the United States senate, where he will be long remembered for his good humor and his inimitable stories. He had a large vein of tender sentiment in his make up, and a much larger fund of descriptive adjectives than any man to whom I have ever listened. His imagination was fertile and active and reveled in beautiful pictures luxuriant with flowers and resplendent sunshine. The country has produced but one Bob Taylor. May he rest in peace.

His death is doubly unfortunate for Tennessee. Both political parties are split into irreconcilable factions, and with the Carmack-Cooper-Patterson incident still fresh in memory, another senatorial election will be generally dreaded. For the present the governor of Tennessee will likely appoint a Republican to serve until the legislature elects a successor to Senator Taylor.

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ELECTION TUESDAY NIGHT.

Three Directors to Be Selected By the Commercial Club—To Have Smoker.

The Commercial club will hold a meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock when three directors will be selected. The terms of Paul Sisson, Geo. A. Pickens and Charles McNeal, as directors, expire at this time. The board of directors are to select a president and secretary among the board members and Nic Sturm, as president, and G. B. Roseberry as secretary, will not serve another year.

A smoker and a lunch will be given at the meeting tomorrow night.

FIRST TO DECLARE.

Jesse B. Joy of Elmo to be a Candidate for the Democratic Nomination for Treasurer.

Jesse B. Joy of Elmo filed with County Clerk George W. Demott Saturday his declaration to become a Democratic ticket, subject to the Democratic primary in August. Mr. Joy is candidate for county treasurer on the the first one to file.

The race for county treasurer on the Democratic ticket promises to be a lively contest. Beside Mr. Joy, County Treasurer Sam Williams is seeking re-election, and H. H. McClurg is to enter the race soon.

FOR A WEEK'S TRIP.

Normal Quartet for a Concert Tour in Missouri and Illinois.

The Normal Male quartet, composed of P. O. Landon, L. L. Perrin, H. H. Mutz and O. H. Quinn, will leave Tuesday morning for a week's concert trip in Missouri and Illinois. Concerts will be given at McFall, in Missouri, and Jerseyville, Carlensville, Virden and Palmyra, in Illinois.

The quartet will give a program at the Normal at the chapel hour on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Anthony Has Returned.

Dr. and Mrs. F. R. Anthony returned Friday night from Kansas City, where Mrs. Anthony has been for several months taking medical treatment. She is greatly improved and her friends welcome her return to our city. Dr. and Mrs. Anthony have taken rooms with Mrs. Harry Shipps, on West Second street. Mrs. Shipps has recently leased the residence of Mrs. Stella Epperson, better known as the Judge T. J. Johnson residence.

To Attend Funeral.

Mrs. Etta Branson and daughter, Miss Marguerite, of Shenandoah, Ia., were in Maryville Monday on their way to Bedford to attend the funeral of Mr. Branson's mother, Mrs. John Branson. They were accompanied by Rev. Farrell, pastor of the Christian church at Shenandoah, who will conduct the funeral.

Married by Judge Morris.

Miss Minnie Crenshaw and Mr. Ben McClain of Parnell were united in marriage Monday afternoon by Judge J. W. Morris. Mr. McClain is proprietor of the pool hall at Parnell.

Latest post cards, 1 cent each at Crane's.

WENT FOR TEDDY

CARRY COUNTY BY A BIG VOTE OVER PRESIDENT.

DELEGATES SELECTED

To the District and State Conventions—The Primary Vote a Light One.

At the Republican preferential primary held Saturday afternoon from 1 to 5 o'clock, Theodore Roosevelt received the highest number of votes in this county as the choice of the Republicans for president. The vote cast was a very light one, considering the weather, and it being Saturday.

The Republican county committee met Monday afternoon at the court house, and the delegates to the district convention at Savannah and to the state convention at St. Louis were selected. They are instructed to vote for Roosevelt men for delegates to the Chicago convention.

The delegates to the district convention, which meets at Savannah on Thursday are: W. C. Pierce, W. E. Wiles and W. R. Tilson of Maryville, P. Maurer of Graham, Floyd Grimmit of Parnell, S. P. Ross of Ravenwood, John G. Hays of Skidmore, C. G. McMillan of Pickering, Grant Elrod of Elmo, James Stewart of Barnard, Willis Oxley of Hopkins and C. A. Johnston of Quitman.

The delegates selected to the state convention at St. Louis, which meets April 25, are: W. F. Phares, H. F. Leet, J. F. Hull, J. S. Shinabargar, Paul Sisson of Maryville, R. R. Staples of Burlington Junction, J. F. Kellogg of Skidmore, A. D. Barnett of Guilford, T. F. Merrigan of Clyde, E. C. Wolfers, Sr., of Hopkins, James W. Decker of Graham, and George W. Walton of Elmo.

The Primary Vote.

The total vote cast was 1,155, of which Roosevelt received 873 and Taft 243. Cummins and La Follette received a few votes. In Polk Township Roosevelt received 303 to Taft's 42, and outside of Maryville in the rural district, the cote stood Roosevelt 570, Taft 201.

In Jefferson, south precinct, there were no votes cast.

The vote by precincts is as follows.

	Cummins.	La Follette.	Roosevelt.	Taft.
Polk—First ward	1	1	69	9
Second ward	1	1	72	12
Third ward			70	10
Fourth ward	0	2	92	11
Atchison			25	19
Lincoln—North			54	8
South			3	
Hopkins	2	2	67	15
Independence—North			17	0
South		3	9	6
Union			40	8
Nodaway		7	55	27
Green			14	9
Jackson			31	39
Jefferson—North		1	23	9
South				
Grant			37	18
White Cloud—North			21	3
South			3	1
Hughes			90	14
Monroe			60	21
Washington—West			17	3
East		1	4	1
Total	4	18	873	243

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Joy of Elmo were in Maryville Saturday on business and visiting friends.

R. G. Cornelius of Omaha was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Murrin Sunday.

Mrs. V. W. Keene and Mrs. W. R. Smiley went to St. Joseph Monday morning.

Mrs. C. I. Hann and Miss Millie Kester of Burlington Junction spent Monday in the city.

Mrs. S. J. DeArmond went to Darlington Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. C. H. Engles.

George Anderson of Jenkins street has built on addition to his residence.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Jorgenson of Barnard were among Maryville's visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pistole of Hopkins were in the city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mahan and son of Hopkins were city visitors Monday.

WAS A REAL MUSICAL TREAT.

Cantata "Crucifixion and Ascension" Sunday Evening at Presbyterian Church Was Enjoyed.

The cantata "Crucifixion and Ascension," rendered on Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church by the choir, was a real musical event.

The cantata consists of a story, in song, of the life of Christ, and includes a description of his trial before Pilate, his crucifixion and subsequent resurrection and ascension.

The chorus work of the singers was particularly creditable. Unusually good work was done in the parts which described the clamor of the rabble before Pilate for Christ's crucifixion and the climax reached in the final chorus, "Blessing and Honor," was very effective and powerful.

The quartet work was done by Miss Jennie Garrett, soprano; Miss Lillian Lindholm, alto; Mr. Glenn Goff, tenor, and Mr. W. H. Crawford, bass. Their rendition of the quartet, "Fear Ye Not," was very pleasing.

The solo parts were taken by Mr. Gleff Goff and Mr. W. H. Crawford. Mr. Goff's voice was at its best, and while all his solos were well done, the one beginning with the words "So Pilate willing to content the people" was superb.

Mrs. George Eaton, Miss Helen Leffler, Mrs. Charles Leffler, Miss Lois Petty, Mr. Fred Petty, Mr. Philip Parcher, Mr. S. E. Farmer and Mr. Fred Lewis constituted the chorus, and Mrs. Roy Curfman presided at the organ.

MRS. WARREN PRESIDENT.

Maryville Woman Eelected to That Office by the New District Council of Garment Workers in St. Joseph.

A district council No. 12, United Garment Workers of America was organized at the St. Charles hotel at St. Joseph, April 6, composed of union No. 226, of Topeka, Kan., No. 104 of St. Joseph, No. 157 of Maryville.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. Nettie E. Warren of Maryville, president; Miss Amy Olson of Topeka, vice president; Miss Connor of St. Joseph, secretary-treasurer.

The trustees chosen were Miss Maggie Allen of Maryville, Miss Anna Cole of Topeka and W. E. Pruitt of St. Joseph.

Miss Kate Lamb of St. Joseph was elected guide and J. L. Wines of St. Joseph business manager and label secretary.

Meetings will be held twice a year, the first of June and the first of January.

CONCEPTION BAND IN CITY.

Made Their Annual Visit Here Monday, Serenading Business Men and Catholic Schools.

The Conception college band of Conception, Fr. Johchinn, director, made its annual visit to Maryville Monday and spent the day with friends, serenading our business men and the two Catholic schools of our city. They dined at Binter's cafe. The members of the band are: J. Buettner, E. Goetz, T. Ossweiler, M. Legill, W. Felix, Cl. Schneider, R. Schappler, J. Forester, J. Underberg, J. Lehman, J. Paschang, J. McDonnell, L. Diebold, J. Burke, H. Wagner, L. Franken, E. Meyer, H. Hans, J. Georgen, A. Koehler, B. Barnes, E. McKenna, H. Newman, Joseph Bremerick, John Bremerick, J. Stangl, J. Martin, R. Lyons, L. Ford, A. Bansbacht, W. McHoes, F. Baron, T. Wolfe, J. Weikart, M. Clark, M. Dickhont, Fr. James.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lincoln and daughter, Miss Marcella of Pickering were in the city Monday, returning home from an Easter visit with their son, O. A. Lincoln, and family of Burlington Junction.

Mrs. R. L. Houghtaling and sons, Donald and Perry, returned to their home in Bolckow Saturday evening from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Miller, east of Maryville.

Mrs. S. Ramey and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. William Ramey, spent Saturday in Maryville with Mrs. Ramey's daughter, Miss Ruth Ramey, a State Normal student.

Miss Elizabeth Doran and her niece, Elizabeth Colvin, of Dakota, and Miss Elizabeth Heffern were Easter Sunday guests of Misses Louise and Agnes McCann of Clyde.

Mrs. Frank Compton of Burlington Junction came to the city Monday for a two days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Ada Jones.

Miss Neva Airy went to Barnard Saturday evening to spend Easter Sunday with Miss Anna Hartley.

APPEAL FOR HELP

COMMITTEE SOLICITING FUNDS TO AID CRIPPLED BOY.

WILL GO TO DR. MURPHY

Carl Wright to Enter St. Francis Hospital for a Course of Treatment of Eighteen Months.

Carl Wright, the little crippled boy of our city, in whom many have become interested, will now have a chance for complete recovery from his affliction, tuberculosis of the hip joint, if the people of Maryville will respond to the call of a committee that will solicit funds for his benefit on Tuesday.

Dr. Wm. Wallis, Jr., and Dr. C. T. Bell will have charge of his case while he is being prepared for the great surgeon, Dr. Murphy of Chicago, and they will give their services free. The medicine that will be used to kill the germs and heal the tissues has been secured at actual cost, which will be $1.50 a week. It will be necessary for the boy to remain at St. Francis hospital for treatment for eighteen months. It is not yet known what the cost will be to keep him at the hospital, but it is known it will take $500 to get him ready for the operation that will save his life. Let everyone respond as liberally as possible in this good cause.

TO MAKE TRIP TO THE WEST.

Mr. and Mrs. Beech to Leave Tuesday Morning for Pacific Coast.

Postmaster and Mrs. S. R. Beech will leave Tuesday for a two months' trip in the west. They will visit at Seattle, Wash., San Francisco, Oakland, Los Angeles and San Diego in California; Salt Lake City, Utah; and Pueblo and Denver, Colo. They expect to be home about June 1.

A. L. Hunt returned to Grant City Monday after a few days' visit with his brother, Judge W. H. Conn.

THORNTON IS BETTER.

Graham Man Much Improved Today—The Taylors Gave Bond Sunday

A. J. Thornton of Graham, who was beaten up Friday by C. E. Taylor and his son, Bronson Taylor, is much better Monday, and his physicians report that he is out of danger unless some unforeseen complications set in.

C. E. Taylor and Bronson Taylor were arrested Saturday on an information issued by Prosecuting Attorney George Pat Wright, charging them with assault with intent to kill. They gave bond for $1,000 each and their cases will come up at the June term of circuit court.

Visiting Sick Sister.

Mrs. Oliver McNeal and son of near Graham went to Kansas City Saturday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Lewis Egan, who is quite sick and will be taken to Excelsior Springs for treatment.

Mrs. J. C. Moore and twin sons, Albert and Arlan, and daughter, Miss Dorris of Omaha arrived Monday from St. Joseph for a two days' visit with her brother, Roy Yeaman and family. She was accompanied by her grandfather, E. B. Yeaman of St. Joseph.

Mrs. William Green returned to her home in Pickering Monday from a several days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Glover Kelley, Mrs. John Wallace, and Mrs. Frank Green, and was accompanied by her granddaughter, Miss Florence Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wade and daughter of Brookfield and Mrs. J. J. Tribley and daughter, Miss Florence, of Cameron, who came to attend the golden wedding anniversary of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Wade, returned home Monday morning.

Mrs. Sarah Tarpley and daughter, Miss Hattie of near Skidmore arrived Monday forenoon for an extended visit with Mrs. Tarpley's daughter, Mrs. Ellen McDonald of North Buchanan street and J. H. Tarpley of West Sixth street.

Mrs. J. S. Paquin returned Saturday noon from St. Joseph, where she spent the winter with her son, Joseph Paquin, and family.

Mrs. M. V. Faker returned to her home at Barnard Saturday evening after a two days' visit with her niece, Mrs. D. C. Wilson.

DEATH OF JOHN M'KEE.

Passed Away Sunday morning at the Age of 74 Years—Burial at Shelton, Neb.

John McKee died Sunday morning at 6:30 o'clock, after a several months' illness. He was 74 years old and was an old soldier. He came to Nodaway county in 1867, and outside of spending several months in Southwestern Kansas, had always been a resident of this county.

Funeral services were held at the Christian church in Ravenwood, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. R. Green, pastor of the Harmony church. The body was taken to Shelton, Buffalo county, Neb., where he will be buried beside the remains of his wife, who died twenty-nine years ago.

The deceased is survived by seven children, who are: Thomas, Frank, Elmer and Ed McKee of Ravenwood, Mrs. Nannie Harbison of near Maryville, Mrs. Fannie Groves of Arkansas, and Mrs. Stella Torrey of Hutton, Mo.

CHICAGO WHITE SOX HERE.

Were in Maryville Monday Morning on Their Way to Des Moines, Ia.

A special train of twelve coaches containing the base ball team of the Chicago White Sox came to Maryville Monday morning from St. Joseph by way of Conception Junction, on account of there being a wreck on the Great Western at Blockton, Ia. The special train was in Maryville about one hour, and several of the newspaper correspondents came up to the city to send in news reports to the Chicago papers. The train left over the Burlington for Des Moines, Ia., where they are to play a practice game Monday afternoon.

MURDER CASE AT OREGON.

Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison Are the Attorneys for Defendant, Frank Vest.

The case against Frank Vest, charged with murdering Guy Stanley near Bigelow in Holt county, last December, was called Monday at Oregon with Judge W. C. Ellison on the bench. Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison of this city are the attorneys for the defendant.

Child Operated On.

Little Bob Harris, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Berney Harris was operated upon Saturday afternoon at St. Francis hospital for appendicities with which he was taken Friday night. The little boy was very sick and an operation had to be performed before the case was twenty-four hours old in order to save his life. He is getting along nicely.

Organized a District Council.

Mrs. Nettie Warren went to St. Joseph Saturday evening to attend the organization of a district council of garment workers for this Northwest Missouri district. Mrs. Warren is president of the local council of the McDonald garment factory.

Returned From Clay County.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Skinner and son and daughter, Will and Miss Eunice, returned Monday noon from Barry, Clay county, Mo., where they took the body of Mrs. Skinner's father, Houzan Hunn, for burial last Saturday.

Average Weight 380 Pounds.

John Davis, who lives near Ravenwood, delivered to that town Monday seventy-four head of hogs to ship them out. The average weight was 380 pounds apiece, and forty of the hogs weigh over 40 pounds.

Visited Sick Father.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walker of Burlington Junction came to Maryville Monday and spent the day at St. Francis hospital with his father, C. L. Walker, who is improving nicely.

Have Colorado Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Garrett of Silverton, Col., arrived in Maryville Saturday on a visit to Mrs. Garrett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Price and brothers, Clun and Ralph Price.

Guest of Sheriff Tilson.

Mr. Charles Badger of St. Joseph was the guest of Sheriff W. R. Tilson Saturday.

Miss Mary Stundon went to Arkoe Saturday evening to spend Easter Sunday with her grandfather, John Stundon, Sr.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Tuesday; warmer tonight.

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Mrs. Jose Eckles and daughter, Mrs. Grace Dougherty, of Graham went to Bedford Monday noon to visit Mrs. Eckies' daughter, Mrs. Irl Walker, at the Garland hotel.

Miss Angie VanHorn and Miss Zylpha Spoor visited in St. Joseph over Easter Sunday with Miss VanHorn's brother, G. F. VanHorn, and family.

Mrs. J. M. Hughes of West Twelfth street returned Monday noon from a two months' visit with her son, Dr. J. E. Hughes, and family, at Shawnee, Okla.

Mrs. E. B. Beaslin of Ford City, who has been caring for her daughter, Miss Mary Beaslin at St. Francis hospital the past week, returned home Monday.

Mrs. James Evans of Bedison returned home Monday from a visit in Maryville since Friday with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Sarah Evans.

Mrs. S. J. Yeomans of Hopkins came to the city Saturday evening to make an Easter visit with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Yeomans.

Mrs. L. Ozenberger and little daughter Beatrice of St. Joseph are Easter guests of her daughter, Miss Birde Ozenberger, a state Normal student.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lutz of Pickering were in Maryville Monday on their way to Blanchard, Ia., to visit Mr. Lutz's daughter, Mrs. G. E. McElroy.

Miss Ivy Hawkins, a student at the state university at Columbia, is spending the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hawkins.

Miss Alma Hotchkiss of the St. Joseph high school faculty visited in Maryville Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Anna Hotchkiss.

Attorney Dale Wisdom of Bedford and Floyd Jackson of Shenandoah were in Maryville Saturday, the guests of J. B. Elis of the Fern theater.

H. D. Anderson of the Anderson-Frank clothing firm, went to Red Oak, Ia., Monday on business and will look after his farms there.

Mrs. G. W. Fencil of Holton, Kan., returned home Monday morning from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Vern Wallace.

Mrs. G. C. Trusty and daughter of Burlington Junction arrived Monday to visit her brother, Vern Wallace and wife.

Mrs. J. T. Linville went to St. Joseph Monday morning for a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Awalt.

Mrs. S. R. Groves and her son, C. L. Groves, of Barnard, were business visitors in Maryville Saturday.

Miss Bertha Cross of Hopkins was in the city Monday.

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STORE

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Elks' Dance Wednesday.

The Easter dance of the Elks' will be given on Wednesday night instead of Tuesday night.

Spring Rummage Sale.

The Young Ladies Mission Circle of the Christian church will hold its spring rummage sale the first week in May.

Will Hold Market.

The Wesleyan class of the First M. E. church Sunday school will hold a market the coming Saturday at Price & McNeal's furniture store.

Penelope Club Wednesday.

The Penelope Club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. N. F. Hopper on West Second street, instead of with Mrs. F. C. Conrad as was first announced.

Easter Sunday Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wells, living ten miles south of the city, had for their Easter Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Epperson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Epperson and family, and Mrs. Stella Epperson.

C. W. B. M. Meeting.

The C. W. B. M. of the Christian church met last Friday afternoon with Mrs. R. L. McDougal. Mrs. W. B. Porter was leader, and the topic was India, the country, the people, and the work of the C. W. B. M. Mrs. M. T. Henderson gave a book review of Sita, followed by a piano solo by Mrs. H. D. Anderson. A reading, "Toodle Finding the Heathen," was given by Mrs. A. C. Hopkins. Marvin Westfall spoke "Little Brown Baby." During the social hour the hostess served refreshments.

Easter Sale is Splendid.

The ladies of the M. E. church, South, met with splendid success in their Easter sale Saturday. Nearly every article was sold by noon Saturday and they gave themselves to serving ice cream during the afternoon. All who called were delightfully entertained with music on the grafanola by Miss Mildred Hancock, daughter of Manager Hancock of the Field-Lippman music store. The ladies in charge were Mrs. W. J. Parvin and Mrs. M. L. Hopper, the notion department; Mrs. Henry Thorp and Mrs. W. T. Gray, the market; Mrs. E. W. Heideman and Mrs. Raymond Barry, candy; Miss Susie Allen, ice cream.

Entertained T. A. G. Club.

Miss Alma Lucas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Lucas, entertained the T. A. G. club with an Easter party Saturday afternoon. Various games were played and an Easter egg hunt of considerable range furnished a good deal of fun. Miss Doris Sayler won the prize, a live Plymouth Rock chicken, and Miss Hazel Smith the booby prize, a bantam egg. The members of this new club, the name of which is to remain a profound secret forever and ever, are Miss Hazel Smith, Miss Doris Sayler, Miss Opal Nicholas, Miss Greta Kemp. A luncheon of cake, fruit salad and chocolate was served in the dining room by the hostess, the table being fancifully decorated with Easter eggs.

In Compliment to Her Daughter.

Mrs. William Wallis, Sr., entertained the P. E. O. chapter Saturday afternoon in compliment to her daughter, Mrs. Lafe C. Allender, who will leave the last of this month for her new home in Atlantic, Ia. Progressive forty-two was played at five tables. The prize, potted tulips, went to Miss Lelia Bonewitz. A dainty two-course luncheon was served. The guests were Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. J. E. Bailey, Mrs. J. C. Denham, Mrs. Frank Garrett, Mrs. O. C. Hanna, Mrs. Harry Irwin, Mrs. W. A. Miller, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Mrs. M. G. Tate, Misses Hettie and May Anthony, Miss Lelia Bonewitz, Miss Nelle Conrad, Miss Mae Corwin, Miss Fannie Hope, Miss Carrie Hopkins, Miss Nelle Hudson, Miss Alice Martin, Miss Donna Sisson, Miss Mabel Todd.

Entertained for Daughter.

Mrs. Hal T. Hooker entertained forty little girls with an Easter domino party Saturday afternoon, in compliment to her little daughter, Halcyon. The game prize, an Easter lily, went to Miss Georgia Evans. Refreshments in the colors of pink and white were served. The guests were Mildred Shinabargar, Mildred Manley, Alice Peery, Lucile Holmes, Mildred Eckert, Odette Wilderman, Lucile Wright, Marie Wright, Mabel Curnutt, Georgia Evans, Bernice Crawford, Helen Rose Crawford, Mary Carpenter, Doris Marie Goforth, Ada Diss, Mary Lewis, Elizabeth Keck, Elizabeth Nash, Madaline Strawn, Marie Cloud, Wilda Keef, Mabel Cook, Helen Davis, Mildred Bellows, Mary Margaret Richey, Gladys Bookman, Fay Farmer, Margaret Dietz, Esther Dietz, Blanche Gray, Mamie Price, Abbey Colden, Dale Skinner, Helen Dean, Alma Conley, Mary Miller, Marion Walker, Claracy Whaley, Agnes Sawyers, Lela Gibson.

Entertained Missionary Society.

Miss Lucile Airy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Airy, entertained the Young Ladies' Missionary society of the First M. E. church Saturday afternoon at its regular monthly meeting. Mrs. T. L. Wadley conducted the study for the afternoon, "Asia's Own Opinion of Christianity." Miss Audrey Howendobler read a paper on "Are Non-Christian Religions Religious?" Miss Dena Hartman gave a paper on "Radical Differences," and Miss Ada Clayton one on "How Should Christianity Be Presented." Mrs. Charles Gaugh gave a reading on "A Search After God." During the round table discussion of "Is Christianity the Final Religion?" the pastor, Dr. J. S. Ford, gave an instructive talk. There were two musical numbers, a piano solo by Miss Ada Clayton and a violin solo by Miss Edith Wilson. During the social hour the hostess was assisted by Miss Mary Q. Evans and Miss Maud Clark in serving luncheon. The May meeting will be held at the home of Miss Audrey Howendobler, instead of Mrs. Bruce Montgomery, who is recovering from her long illness.

Class Entertainment.

The class taught by Mrs. Calla Harman in the Bible school of the Christian church at Pickering gave an entertainment at the church Friday night for the benefit of the Orphans' Home at St. Louis, which netted them $2.70. This class maintains a ward in the Orphans' Home for anyone who is unfortunate and in need of that place. The Easter offering of the class on Sunday swelled the amount of Friday night's entertainment to $24.34. The program consisted of music, dialogues and drills and was a fine return for the patronage received. The class is composed of eighteen girls and five boys, who are Misses Irene Burk, Mabel Null, Audrey McMillen, Sallie Bosch, Ida Bosch, Marie Burk, Hazel Burk, Eva Burk, Myrtle Null, Effie McDowell, Mamie Vinzant, Lottie Neal, Eugenia Hull, Edith Jones, Edith Pfeiffer, Ocie Swaney, Cleo Porterfield, Nellie Morford, Messrs. George Crowson, Rex Lincoln, Orlow Lincoln, Arna Moberly and Elmer Hornbuckle. The Bible school of this church gave an Easter program at Sunday night's service that was very creditable and the offering amounted to $47.67.

Entertained the Little Folks.

Mrs. W. W. Glass and Miss Florence Young entertained the primary class of the Christian church Bible school at Mrs. Glass' home Saturday afternoon with an Easter party. The hostesses are teachers of this class, and they have an assistant in Mrs. Zetta Broyles. The first thing on the program was an egg hunt in which Elizabeth Flint won. There was a potato game and other nice games the children enjoyed and the last thing before the dainty refreshments was a contest in which each little guest, blindfolded, tried to pin Foxy Grandpa's hat on, Azalia Anderson being the only one who succeeded in getting it on at the proper tilt. The hostesses were assisted in entertaining by Mrs. A. B. Condon, Mrs. Arch Frank, Mrs. Will Miller, Mrs. Lee Crossan, Mrs. H. D. Anderson, Mrs. G. B. Roseberry and Mrs. Henry Westfall. The guests were Ned Colbert, Lora May Crossan, Azalia Anderson, Marion Anderson, Harlan Wray, Mildred Wray, Genevieve Todd, Dorothy Eaton, Ethel Martha Condon, Esther Roseberry, Marvin Westfall, Eva Margaret Frank, Harrie Miller Elizabeth Flint, Lona Gilbert, Lois Gilbert, Isabel Hamlin, Roberta Cook, Alta, Eugene, Clarence and Ella May Huffine, LaVern Robey, Margie, Alta and Raymond Turner, Loren and Burdette Yeo, Kenneth, May and Lora Reinhart, Marie Davenport, Elwin Broyles.

Box Supper and Dance.

There will be a box supper and dance at the W. O. W. hall Wednesday evening, April 10th. Everybody cordially invited. Proceeds for benefit of the degree team.

There will be a pie social at Mt. Ayr church 4 miles east of Maryville Thursday night, April 11th. Everybody invited.

Prosaic "Ghost."

Thinking they had seen a "ghost," a number of Dundee (Scotland) townsfolk, while walking through the cemetery recently, took to their heels and summoned the nearest gatekeeper. The "vision" which had aroused their alarm—that of a figure in scanty attire standing behind a gravestone, had vanished when they returned with reinforcements, and all there was to be seen was a large piece of red flannel. It afterwards transpired that the owner being greatly irritated by the flannel, which was next the skin, had gone to the cemetery with the idea of getting rid of it, which he could not do without shedding his garments.

The Way of The Wind

By Martha McCulloch-Williams

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The wind was the occasion—the cause lay much deeper. A tricksy south wind, fitful and flawy, now zephyr-soft, now blowing in mad swirls; you simply could not count on what it might or might not do, especially to hats perched perilously upon newly brushed soft puffs.

Mildred had put on her undulant crown, manifestly false, but very becoming, with more than maiden pride. Anne, her elder sister, a distressingly truthful person, had watched her between criticism and admiration, and had ended by saying:

"You'd better wait for Harriet. Sure as you walk, if the middle path is so sheltered, you'll get to Elba a tag-rag."

Mildred had shaken her head, smiling an uneasy smile. She had planned to go in the gray auto with Harriet, her best chum. That was before Harriet had risen to heights of patronizing condescension—rooted apparently in Mildred's need of the favors done her.

No girl of spirit could endure that—not even though she knew the real root of the matter wore trousers and answered to the name of Ellis Benson. He was fairly rich, more than fairly good looking, of an adventurous temper that had sent him around the world, ostensibly on business, but more for the sake of seeing sights and wonders. He had been wandering three full years, which in their passing had transformed Harriet and Mildred, the pig-tailed pair he had loved to pet and tease, into full-fledged young women. He had brought them strings of beads—turquoise for fair Mildred, coral for dark Harriet—and had not dreamed of anything but clasping the strangs about youthful throats, and taking kisses in reward. When he had actually made the gifts, presenting them stiffly, albeit his eyes twinkled, he had laughed inwardly—perhaps at his own former folly.

He liked them if they had grown up—and very nearly equally. But since Harriet had so much, Milly so little,

Almost wrenching off her hat.

he was rather inclined to do more for her. His kindly preference had set Harriet wild. All along she had had her mind set on marrying Ellis Benson. She was tired of the rich and tranquil countryside. She wanted a husband who would take her out into the thick of things. Further, as an only child and heiress, she had grown up rather spoiled, to think that the best of everything was her due. Mildred's charm for her had lain in a certain loving generosity, which made her not merely willing but eager to give Harriet, in everything, the first place.

Benson had come home in midsummer. In September he had gone away for a while. Now in late October his aunt, Mrs. Lane, mistress of Elba, the show place of the neighborhood, was giving a garden party, which she called her chrysanthemum show.

Ellis was coming back for it—so much everybody knew. Therefore Harriet had ordered three new frocks for it, partly because she could not make up her mind as to one, partly also by way of triumphing over Mildred, who could do no more than make over her grandmamma's pink brocade. Time had softened it and, thanks to hobble skirts, the pattern was ample. When at last the frock was finished, touched here and there with cobweb yellow lace, and wonderfully fitted to Mildred's lissome slimness, it had truly an air of Paris, all the more that she had put into it the veriest glints of blue, exactly matching her string of turquoises. There was just a hint of the same blue amid the fluffy feathers of her wide-brimmed white hat. Altogether, when at last she was ready to go, Anne was not far wrong in saying, with a regretful sigh:

"It's a shame to let you waste yourself—looking as you do—but you always were too hard-headed for anything."

The middle path, the short cut to Elba, ran squarely into the main drive as it curved in from the highway. The path led over a stile in hedge, cunningly hidden by tall shrubs. Mildred had got safely over this stile, and was settling herself to walk the rest of the path serenely, when the wind flew at her, almost wrenching off her hat, and wrapping her long coat so closely about her she could barely move. There was nothing for it but to go forward, head on, seeing no more of the way than the next step.

Thus, when the path ended in the main road, she ran plump into Ellis Benson—who had also come afoot—to his own amazement. He was thinking hard—Mildred bumped against him before he was fairly aware of her presence. He caught her gently in his arms, saying with a laugh:

"Has the sky fallen that I am catching a lark?"

"Why! I—it's the wind—and this—rubbish-y hat," Mildred panted, putting both hands up to straighten the brim of her headpiece.

Ellis surveyed it critically. "It is—not exactly a walking hat," he said. "Now—why didn't you wait for your fairy godmother's coach-and-sixty horse power? A car, making its own wind, can beat this small disturbance hands down.'

"Fairy godmothers went out with Santa Claus," Mildred said, blushing faintly, but trying to ignore the undermeaning of his words.

He shook his head at her. "A skeptic," he said sorrowfully. "What am I going to do about it? I want her to believe—oh, a great many things."

"What sort of things?" Mildred asked, still clutching her hat. "But wait and tell me after I have found shelter,' she added, making to walk on.

The wind blew harder than ever. In her swathing skirt, she could barely mince, and even mincing she tottered. Benson steadied her, made himself a shield, and ran on:

"One is—the reason I went away. Did you really believe it was business?"

"I didn't know," Mildred said simply—but her heart was beating fast.

Benson looked down at her with a kindly quizzical smile: "It was—the greatest of all business,' he said. "An effort to—know my own heart."

"Indeed!" Mildred vouchsafed, drawing a little away, in fear he might overhear the riot of her blood.

He nodded. "I need a wife," he said, dispassionately. "I knew it—the minute I saw you—and Harriet. Both of you seemed exactly made for me—yet, society is so narrow, I had to choose—"

"You were sure of us, I suppose!" Mildred interrupted.

He shook his head. "I was sure of—nothing," he said. "Not all the time I was gone—I came back as uncertain."

Here the wind took a stronger hand—blew and blew until perforce he drew Mildred well within his arms. The blast drowned the purring of a motor moving so laggardly one knew it must very soon stop dead. Stop it did, just level with the pair; a voice from within said, with an underacid note:

"Congratulations—if they are in order."

"They are," Benson said, gravely. "At least I hope so," lifting Mildred's hand to his lips. In her ear he added: "Darling, the wind chose for me. The minute it flung you in my arms—I knew."

Probably He Had To.

"A real smart lawyer can do almost anything," said Ald. Max Grass, in relating a certain court action. "It reminds me of a story.

"Some years ago, a man was arrested, charged with stealing a watch and chain. He engaged as his lawyer one of the best men in the city on criminal law.

"The man was brought to trial. Testimony was given by both sides. All material testimony by the prosecution was broken down by the attorney for the defense. When the trial ended, all that the prosecution had established was the fact that the watch and chain were missing.

"'You are discharged,' said the court to the prisoner."

"The prisoner stood irresolute.

"'Do you understand?' asked the court. 'You are discharged.'

"Still the prisoner stood mute.

"'You are discharged,' again said the court. 'Is there anything else that you want.'

"'Yes, judge,' answered the man. 'I would like to know whether or not I have to return the watch and chain?'" —Milwaukee Free Press.

Good Work of Engineers.

The Butte of Montmartre, Paris, the "sacred" Mount of Martyrs, "the pimple of the world," has been pierced by engineers working for the Nord-Sud railway. Two and a half years have been occupied in the operation. The pleasant fact, connected with the tunneling, that will put the famous Place Pigalle in direct communication with the Place Constantin Pecquur—an important link in the chain of underground Paris—is the absence of all accidents. And yet this Mount of Martyrs, upon which is perched the great Church of Sacre Coeur, is dangerous soil to work in.

Trifle Disconcerting.

Mr. Newlyrich (who has at last maneuvered his ruby ring under the eyes of the great foreign banker)—Ah, Baron, I see you've at last noticed my beautiful rubies!

The Baron (sadly)—Ach, yes! Dey make me think of home—I haf a mantelpieth of dem dere.—Bystander.

Conversational Strategy.

"I observe that you never contradict any theory that Mr. Heftybrane advances."

"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne; "he's likely to get through talking much sooner if you don't break in and suggest new topics."

Where He Burns It.

Mrs. Hoyle—I understand your husband has money to burn.

Mrs. Doyle—Yes; and I can show you the crematory.

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Our prices are lower
Our service is better
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Get acquainted with our values, save money

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9 lbs fine GRANULATED SUGAR for 50c

100-lb sack fine GRANULATED SUGAR for $5.85

Extra good BURBANK POTATOES for table use, bushel $1.75

SOUR PICKLES, No. 1 quality, gal 25c

Quart glass jars SWEET or SOUR PICKLES or CHOW for 20c

75c bottles pure OLIVE OIL for ... 59c

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No other GRAPE JUICE will please you if you know about Welch's.

50c full quarts for 40c
25c full pints for 20c
15c full half pints, 2 for 25c

MAMMOTH QUEEN OLIVES, pint 20c

Large QUEEN OLIVES, 2 pints ... 25c

Mistletoe or Armour's Star finest BREAKFAST BACON, pieces 4 to 7 lbs, per lb 22½c

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New SMOKED COUNTRY BACON whole piece, lb 12½c
Less quantity, lb 15c

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SPICED ROLLED HERRING, for 5c

ELGIN SUGAR CORN, 2 for 25c kind 4 cans 25c

Fancy EVAPORATED RASPBERRIES, 3 lbs, $1.00; per lb 35c

Large California PEARS, lb 15c

Choice MUIR PEACHES, 2 lbs 25c

Extra large (30 to the pound) fines PRUNES, 2 lbs 35c

Large meaty PRUNES, 2 lbs 25c

Bright Santa Clara SWEET PRUNES ungraded size, 18 lbs for $1.00

4 cans GREEN BEANS for 25c

Fresh TOMATOES, per lb 15c

Extra good solid CABBAGE, 4 lbs 25c

New California CABBAGE, not solid 8 lbs 25c

Peck best COOKING APPLES for .. 35c

Peck fancy sound EATING APPLES for 50c

5-lb pails Jelly for 25c

Gallon cans APPLES, 2 for 55c

1 dozen cans California YELLOW PEACHES in syrup $1.75

Four 5c boxes full count MATCHES for 10c

10 bars DIAMOND C or LENOX SOAP for 25c

8 lbs lump SAL SODA for 15c

Gallon cans LOG CABIN MAPLE $1.10

4 lbs JAPAN HEAD RICE for 25c

1 dozen cans (large size) LYE HOMINY for 75c

Half dozen cans (large size) best PUMPKIN for 40c

No. 1 SALT, per barrel $1.35

3 lbs fresh SODA CRACKERS for 20c

2 lbs fresh GINGER SNAPS for ... 15c

10c boxes any kind CRACKERS or WAFERS, 2 for 15c

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A couple of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets might have given him relief—might have saved him hours of suffering.

Carry a package of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets in your vest pocket or keep them in your room. Take one after each heavy meal, and ward off indigestion.

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The Orear-Henry Drug Co., 113 North Main street.

Returned From the Southland.

Mr. Clive C. Graves returned Saturday noon from a two weeks' trip in Arkansas and Louisiana. He saw hundreds of acres of land under water in Louisiana, and also saw some rich land there. The past winter has been cold and rainy in that country, an unusual thing there.

DEAFNESS CURED

When Caused by Catarrh.

If you have ringing noises in your ears, catarrh germs are making their way from the nose to the ears through the tubes.

Many cases of deafness caused by catarrh have been cured by breathing Hyomei. It reaches the inflamed membrane, heals the soreness and banishes catarrh, which is the cause of most deafness.

F. C. Vanaman, railroad conductor of Binghamton, N. Y., writes that he was cured of deafness after specialists had failed.

Hyomei (pronounce it High-o-me) is guaranteed to cure catarrh, coughs, colds, asthma, croup and sore throat, or money back. Complete outfit with inhaler $1.00. Extra bottles 50 cents. Sold by the Orear-Henry Drug Co., the enterprising pharmacists, and druggists everywhere.

Easter Guests at Hull Home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Downer of Hopkins were Eastertide visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman W. Hull, north of Maryville, as the guests of Mrs. Clara Stewart, the aunt of Mrs. Hull, who resides there. Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Downer are sisters-in-law.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

BEAUTIFUL HAIR AT SMALL COST

A Simple Remedy Beautifies the Hair, Cures Dandruff, Stops Falling Hair.

What a pity it is to see so many people with thin, wispy hair, faded or streaked with gray, and realize that most of these people might have soft, glossy, abundant hair of beautiful color and lustre if they would but use the proper treatment. There is no necessity for gray hair under sixty-five years of age, and there is no excuse for anyone, young or old, having thin, straggling hair, either full of dandruff or heavy and rank smelling with excessive oil.

You can bring back the natural color of your hair in a few days and forever rid yourself of any dandruff and loose hairs, and make your hair grow strong and beautiful by using Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy. For generations common garden Sage has been used for restoring and preserving the color of the hair; and Sulphur is recognized by Scalp Specialists as being excellent for treatment of hair and scalp troubles.

If you are troubled with dandruff or itching scalp, or if your hair is losing its color or coming out, get a fifty cent bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur from your druggist, and notice the improvement in the appearance of your hair after a few days' treatment.

Special Agent, Koch Pharmacy.

MORE TROUBLE FOR SAN DIEGO

Industrial Workers Mobilizing to March to Southern City.

WASHINGTON MILLS TO REOPEN

Canadian Railroad Contractors Prepare to Use 1,000 Men Under Police Protection—Trying to Secure American Laborers.

San Francisco, April 8.—San Diego has been beset by the free speech agitators since January 1, and a new army, numbering 1,000 men, it is announced, will mobilize in San Francisco, Sacramento and Stockton and march to the southern city. Posses of police, special deputies and citizens have deported some of the invaders and have repulsed others at the outskirts of San Diego. They assert they will meet the reinforcements now headed southward and drive them back.

The enactment of an anti-street speaking ordinance precipitated the San Diego struggle and protest meeting of 5,000 persons, including members of the Industrial Workers of the World, Socialists and the American Federation of Labor. The two latter have remained in the fight with the Industrial Workers.

New allies come daily. Some ride on brake beams and some walk into the city. Many have been taken to the outskirts of the ecity, supplied with water and sent back across the desert.

Mills Defy the I. W. W.

Seattle, Wash., April 8.—Railroad contractors in British Columbia and sawmill operators in Southwestern Washington will endeavor to resume operations after a long tieup brought about by the strike called by the Industrial Workers of the World. In British Columbia 6,000 laborers employed in building the Canadian Northern railroad have been out ten days. The contractors have made preparations to put 1,000 men to work and the provincial government has promised police protection. Aside from interference with the delivery of supplies there has been no violence in the railroad camps.

Granted Increase.

In Southwestern Washington sawmill operations have been at a standstill for several weeks. The operators have granted an increase in wages, but have declared that they will not employ members of the Industrial Workers of the World. Efforts are being made to fill the places of the foreign strikers with American labor, but the strike leaders declare that enough labor of this class cannot be obtained to operate the mills and insist that they will keep the mills closed until the employers deal with the organization.

The only attempt made by the Industrial Workers to interfere with the mills in the Puget Sound district is at Tacoma, where some of the men employed in one of the largest mills in the state have been induced to walk out. Pickets have been thrown around the plant. Mill owners have appealed to the Tacoma police to protect the loyal workmen.

ARIZONA AMENDS RECALL BILL

Senate Discovered Error and Has Measure Brought Back for Correction.

Phoenix, Ariz., April 8.—The recall was applied to the judiciary recall constitutional amendment when the state senate, discovering that it had committed an error of omission when the bill was passed several days ago, asked that it be brought back for correction.

After the measure had been in the house several days the senate learned that it had incorporated in the bill only the proposition of submitting the amendment to a vote of the people. It is understood that the senate will enact the measure with an amendment setting forth its approval of the judiciary recall principle, which was left out of the bill originally.

FOUR TRAINMEN WERE INJURED

Frisco Fast Train Wrecked by Spreading Rails Near Girard, Kansas.

Girard, Kan., April 8.—Four of the train crew were injured when the fast San Francisco train No. 112, the "Hustler," from Kansas City to Oklahoma, was wrecked near here. The wreck is believed to have been due to spreading rails.

S. L. German of Fort Scott, the conductor, William Mankin of Sapulpa, Ok., the engineer, L. C. Woodside of Sapulpa, Ok., the fireman and "Daddy" Clark of Kansas City, the baggageman, were injured. No passengers were injured.

Oil Inspection Pays.

Topeka, April 8.—J. S. Longshore state oil inspector, in an annual report made to the governor, shows that his department has collected more than $60,000 in fees in the last year. The inspections of oil and gasoline are made at 122 stations. The report shows that 324,110 barrels of oil and 321,028 barrels of gasoline were inspected.

THIEVES GOT GOV. WILSON'S PAPERS

Suitcase Containing Correspondence Taken in Chicago.

SECRETARY SUSPECTS ENEMIES

Presidential Candidate Hesitates to Suggest Political Antagonists—Left for Syracuse Without Baggage.

Chicago, April 8.—Thieves stole a big suitcase containing wearing apparel and important private correspondence and papers from the apartments of Governor Woodrow Wilson at the Hotel Sherman. He left for Syracuse, N. Y., with only the clothes he wore.

The presidential candidate was disturbed when he discovered his loss but asserted there was nothing in the case that he would fear to show to any interested person or to the country at large.

Governor Wilson hesitated to suggest that any political antagonist was back of the theft, although conceding its disappearance was "suspicious." Others in his party, including his Illinois managers, however, were not so considerate.

Secretary is Suspicious.

"It has political earmarks," Walter Measday, his secretary, said. That opinion was echoed by Dudley Field Malone, son-in-law of United States Senator O'Gorman of New York and Governor Wilson's companion campaigner.

The governor missed the traveling bag when he returned after dining with the Rev. P. J. O'Callahan and other Paulist fathers of St. Mary's church. Mr. Malone had accompanied him.

Mr. Feasday was in the rooms afterwards, and when he left, the suitcase in the governor's room had not been disturbed. He had misplaced the key and went to the office to tell the clerk to have the door locked.

Toilet Set Untouched.

The clerk misunderstood him and, believing he wanted the door of the Wilson headquarters, on the parlor floor, unlocked, sent a bellboy to these rooms. The boy did not visit the governor's private suite.

Governor Wilson returned to the hotel at 2:50 o'clock and hurried to his apartments to finish packing. His toilet articles, including silver backed brushes, were on the dresser, but the suitcase was gone. A few minutes afterwards his visitors called and they joined in the fruitless search. The hotel management called in the house detectives.

It was learned that a tall, slender man, carrying a suitcase answering the description given by the governor, had left the hotel between 2 and 3 o'clock. He was accompanied by a man who carried a small handbag. They engaged a taxicab and were driven to the Northwestern station, remarking that they wanted to catch "the Milwaukee train."

EDITOR SAUER WAS UNINJURED

California Newspaper Man Taken From San Diego Hesitates to go Back at Present.

Escondido, Cal., April 8.—A. R. Sauer, the editor who was kidnapped in San Diego, thirty miles from here, walked into this place. He was uninjured and had been set down outside the town by the motor car in which he was taken from San Diego.

Sauer said he would not go back to San Diego at present. He did not believe he would be safe from attacks if he did so, because of the attitude his paper had taken on the Industrial Workers of the World troubles there. He said he would go to Los Angeles.

RICHMOND LODGE ROOMS ARE DRY

Recent Court Decision Causes Eagles and Elks of Town to Close Their Buffets.

Richmond, Mo., April 8.—By reason of a recent decision of the Kansas City court of appeals, the Eagles and Elks of this place have closed their buffets. Prohibition has been in effect in Richmond four years, the limit expiring something over a month ago. This decision of the court has started an agitation for another election and it is understood that a petition is in preparation to be presented to the city council asking a vote at the earliest opportunity to restore the saloons.

Murderer to Be Shot.

Salt Lake City, April 8.—Julius Sirmay, convicted of murdering Frank Karrick, a 14-year-old boy, was sentenced by Judge Armstrong to be shot May 22. Young Karrick came home from school and discovered Sirmay robbing his house. When the boy attempted to call for help, Sirmay shot and killed him. The supreme court denied an appeal for rehearing.

Wife Cut Her Throat.

Sedalia, Mo., April 8.—Brooding over ill health prompted Mrs. Charles Monsees, 45 year sold, of Smithton, Mo., wife of a prominent farmer and stockman, to attempt suicide by cutting her throat with a razor and inflicting injuries resulting in her death.

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Hogs—6,000. Market steady; top, $8.00.

Sheep—1,400. Market strong.

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Easter novelties and post cards at CRANE'S.

Easter With Her Grandmother.

Miss May Hinton of Pickering came to Maryville Saturday evening to visit over Easter with her grandmother, Mrs. Jane Conklin, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Holloway, west of Maryville.

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You may be having trouble that is caused from eye strain.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ray returned Saturday noon from a visit at Hiawatha and Meriden, Kan.

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White Silver Mine corn at $2 per bushel. Wm. Seely, 4½ miles northeast of Maryville on R. F. D. 5.

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Eggs from pen $2.00 per 15. Range flock $1.00 per setting, $5.00 per 100. Flock and pen not related. MRS. CLAUDE MOORE, R. F. D. 6, Maryville, Mo. Farmers' phone 30-14.

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Eggs for hatching, $3.00 per 15 from first pen, containing birds scoring as high as 94¼, headed by a prize winning cockerel. Eggs from second pen $1.50 per 15. Eggs from both of these pens, as they run, $2.00 per 15. W. H. CRAWFORD & SON.

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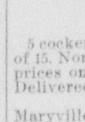

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MISSOURI CROP REPORT IS OUT

DESPITE LATE SEASON BUMPER YIELD IS EXPECTED.

Much Wheat Winter Killed But Farmers are Advised to Delay Plowing it Up.

Columbia, Mo., April 8.—The conditions of winter wheat in Missouri, according to the first crop report of the year just issued by the state agriculture board is 78 as compared with 98 a year ago. Owing to the fact that March was cold and wet practically no farming has been done. Correspondents report no potatoes planted and no gardens made.

Notwithstanding the fact that the season is very late the prospect for "bumper" crops is strong. As soon as the ground is dry enough to work it is believed that it will be found to be in excellent condition owing to the heavy fall of snow and much freezing.

Much wheat, especially that seeded late, is apparently winter killed; some is reported badly "heaved" out of the ground. However, it is too early to determine just the true condition of the growing crop and the report says that farmers should be slow to plow it up. There is reason for believing that much wheat, now apparently dead, will come out well. The condition of wheat by sections is: Northeast, 73; northwest, 92; central, 79; southwest, 74; southeast, 74.

The seeding of the oat crop is the latest in the history of the state. On April 1 less than 1 per cent had been seeded. A year ago 19 per cent of the oat crop had been sown. Practically no plowing has been done for corn. It is estimated that 18.6 per cent of last year's corn crop is still on Missouri farms. Ninety per cent of the correspondents report a scarcity of good seed corn.

The number of hogs on feed as compared with an average year is 46 per cent. This shortage is evidently due to a marked scarcity of feed. The number of cattle on feed as compared with an average year is 50 per cent.

KANSAS EMBEZZLER SURRENDERS

After Six Weeks of Wandering Sylvan Grove Cashier is Overcome by Remorse.

St. Louis, April 8.—After wandering disconsolately for six weeks from one city to another, Ben F Stuive, 22 years old, of Sylvan Grove, Kan., was overcome by the knowledge that he had misused $1,000 belonging to a bank in his home town and wrote back from St. Louis telling where he was.

In the office of the chief of detectives, Stuive related how he came to falsify his accounts while assistant cashier in the Farmers' State Bank of Sylvan Grove. He declared he never had been in trouble before.

"The worst thing I did was to forge a draft for $500 when I bought my motor car," he said. "I wrote a draft in favor of the other bank in our town and got it cashed.

"People acted so that I never used it more than a dozen times. Then I sold it for $400. I have not received the purchase price so I have been unable to do anything about that draft.

"The rest of the $1,000 I took in small sums."

WAS "INSTRUCTED" TO GO NUDE

Kansan Arrested in Louisiana Followed Command of "A Voice From the Clouds."

Homer, La., April 8.— Saying that a "voice from the clouds" had instructed him to wear no clothes, a man was arrested here just as he started a walk down a residence street in that condition. He gave his name as Allen Bagley. He says his home is Elk City, Kas., and that he has a sister living there. He also admits having served a term in prison at Walla Walla, Wash. The man was discovered by a negro boy and a circus crowd soon gathered and threatened violence. Bagley, however, continued his walk without concern until a deputy sheriff, with trousers and an overcoat, arrived and arrested him.

SEDALIA STRIKERS REMAIN OUT

After Two Days Conference, Men Refused to Resume Work and Outsiders Will be Used.

Sedalia, Mo., April 8.—After a two days' conference, the striking carmen on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway have declined to return to work. Two hundred more men are wanted in the Sedalia shops, as freight car building is to be added to the departments already in operation. The old men, who have been out since September 23, were given first choice, but declined to accept, and new men will now be brought in.

To Hold Army Horse Show.

Leavenworth, Kan., April 8.—Preparations are being made at Fort Leavenworth for the annual horse show, which is one of the big social events of the season at the post. It will be held in the riding school next Saturday, April 13.

Japan Buys Balloon.

Berlin, April 8.—A report is published here that the Parseval dirigible balloon, which has just been completed, has been sold to the Japanese government.

NEW YORK GETS FIRST TORNADO

House Blown Down, Trees Uprooted and Much Damage Done.

HUNDREDS SERIOUSLY INJURED

Wind Carries Destruction Into New Jersey Also, Where One Death is Reported—Much Damage to Shipping Along Hudson.

New York, April 8.—At least one person was killed, more than a hundred were injured, several probably fatally, and inestimable damage was done to property by a tornado which left a circuitous path of destruction in its wake in this state and New Jersey late in the afternoon.

Buildings were blown down, roofs torn off, trees uprooted and cars blown from the track.

At Clifton, N. J., the wind demolished a two-story frame building in which 22 men sat in a saloon on the first floor. Anthony Leonardi was found dead in the wreckage and ten other men were dug out badly injured.

Narrowly Escaped Drowning.

Great damage was done to shipping along the Hudson and there were several narrow escapes from drowning. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Herd were thrown into the Hudson by a capsizing skiff at Tonafly, N. J., and would have drowned but for the powerful swimming of Herd who, holding his wife above water, covered 300 yards through a rough sea to a barge.

Five buildings were destroyed at Yonkers. One house collapsed on a policeman as he slept, burying him in plaster.

A pole bearing an electric light crashed into a house on the main street, setting it afire. Several persons were injured. In New York City the wind reached a velocity of 86 miles an hour.

Looked Like April Shower.

Middletown, N. Y., April 8.—A tornado which demolished buildings, blew railroad cars from the tracks, uprooted trees and caused injuries to a score or more people struck South Fallsburgh, Sullivan county, late in the afternoon. South Fallsburgh is a village of 500 inhabitants 110 miles from New York. The storm made its appearance in the guise of an April shower. It had been raining for a time when a black cloud made its appearance in the west. It first seemed to strike the general store of Chester E. Couch. The three-story frame structure moved off its foundations. The sidewalks fell out and the roof fell in. The postoffice was also in this building. Postmaster and Mrs. Charles Denniston and Mr. Couch occupied apartments upstairs. They had as guests Rev. Joseph C Carley, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Atwell and Samuel Lynch. All were rescued from the debris severely bruised.

Hatchs' feed mill, Gardner's cider mill, the Fallsburgh hotel, livery stable and several smaller buildings were also wrecked. Many houses were moved from their foundations and the streets were filled with wreckage.

KANSAS PLANS STATE PARKS

Proposition for System of Memorial Sites and Playgrounds Under Consideration.

Topeka, April 8.—A complete system of public parks, memorial sites and playgrounds is being planned by the state conservation commission and will be presented to the next legislature. The plan contemplates pleasure spots throughout the state; restoration of historic points such as at Pawnee Rock, where a monument is shortly to be erected in honor of the old frontier days, enlargement of the state park already at Hays so as to take in old Fort Hays; health resorts and public playgrounds.

The commission has just held its second meeting since its creation and ordered a bulletin printed of the plans worked out by the committees for the improvement and conservation of the state's water supply, lands, state parks, forestry, drainage, soils, schools and public health.

Dog Warned Men of Tornado.

Shawnee, Ok., April 8.—The frantic cries of a dog saved the lives of Stephen Heal and four other men, who were at work in a barn on Heal's farm near here. When the men stepped from the building to see what caused the dog to bark a tornado swept the barn from its foundation and carried it fifteen feet away. The tornado caused much damage in this part of the country.

Send Strike Children Away.

Passaic, N J., April 8.—Arrangements are being made to send to New York more than one thousand children of the three thousand operatives now on strike for union recognition, higher wages and shorter hours in the textile mills in this city and vicinity. That is the plan followed by the strikers in Lawrence, Mass.

First Sunstroke Reported.

New York, April 8.—Richard McCardle, 89 years old, was overcome by the heat here according to Doctor Andrews of the Flower hospital. It was the first heat prostration of the season.

IS FULL OF COMPLEXITIES

Drawback to the Much Vaunted Simple Life Is That It Is Not Simple.

The real drawback to "the simple life" is that it is not simple. If you are living it, you positively can do nothing else. There is not time. For the simple life demands virtually that there shall be no specialization. The hausfrau who is living the simple life must, after all, sweep, scour, wash and mend. She must also cook; from that even Battle Creek cannot save her.

She may dream sternly of Margaret Fuller, who read Plato while she pared apples; but in her secret heart she knows that either Plato or the apples suffered. And from what point of view is it simpler to have a maid of all work than to indulge one's self in liveried lackeys? Not, obviously, for the mistress; and it is surely simpler to be an adequate second footman than to be an adequate bonne a tout faire.

We should really simplify life by having more servants rather than fewer; more luxury instead of less. The smoothest machinery is the most complicated; and which of us wants to sink the Mauretania and go back to Robert Fulton's steamboat? One would think that the decision would be made naturally for one by one's income. But it is the triumph of the new paradox that this is not so.

Thousands of people seem to be infected with the idea that by doing more themselves, they bestow leisure on others; that by wearing shabby clothes they somehow make it possible for others to dress better—though they thus admit tacitly that leisure and elegance are not evil things.—K. F. Geroulid in Atlantic Monthly.

GENUINE TRIBUTE TO WOMAN

Robert G. Ingersoll's Eloquent Appreciation of the Qualities of the Gentler Sex.

It takes 100 men to make an encampment, but one woman can make a home. I not only admire woman as the most beautiful object ever created, but I reverence her as the redeeming glory of humanity, the sanctuary of all virtues, the pledge of all perfect qualities of heart and head. It is not just nor right to lay the sins of men at the feet of women. It is because women are so much better than men that their faults are considered greater. A man's desire is the foundation of his love, but a woman's desire is born of her love. The one thing in this world that is constant, the one peak that rises above all clouds, the one window in which the light forever burns, the one star that darkness cannot quench is woman's love. It rises to the greatest heights, it sinks to the lowest depths. It forgives the most cruel injuries. It is perennial of life and grows in every climate. Neither coldness nor neglect, harshness nor cruelty can extinguish it. A woman's love is the perfume of the heart. This is the real love that subdues the earth; the love that has wrought all miracles of art; that gives us music all the way from the cradle song to the grand closing symphony that bears the soul away on wings of fire. A love that is greater than power, sweeter than life and stronger than death.—Robert G. Ingersoll.

Legislative Optimist.

A novel description of an optimist was given recently by a congressman who had suffered an onslaught of popular protest in "appeals" from his district. He insisted that an optimist was a man who could make "nice, sweet, pink lemonade out of the yellow, sour things called 'lemons' that have been handed him."

"That," he said, with a grimace, "is what I call an optimist." May it not also be true, as one of his companions suggested, that some of the sweetest things in life owe much of their attractiveness to the subacid, aromatic influence of this same sour "lemon" which is so frequently "handed" political leaders?

The joke was repeated in the presence of an attache of a foreign delegation, who thought it so good that he wanted to pass it on, but he failed to catch the full significance of the phrase "handed a lemon," so he changed the expression to "making nice, sweet, pink lemonade out of yellow addled eggs thrown at him, you know," and when there was a smile he retorted hastily: "Oh—perhaps I've got the yellow eggs broke?"—National Magazine.

Disliked Being Questioned.

Bishop Thirlwall, an English prelate, had the greatest possible aversion to answering questions. One day a tailor said to him, when he had been summoned to take the bishop's measurements: "What are your lordship's orders?" "I want a suit of clothes." "Here is a very nice cloth, my lord." "Ah!" "And this is likewise a very good one." "Yes." "Here is another, of excellent quality." "Very." "Which material will your lordship decide upon?" "I want a suit of clothes!" And that was all the answer the tailor could get. When the new gardener accosted him as he was walking, book in hand, in the garden, to ask: "How will your lordship have this border laid out?" there was no answer. "How will your lorship be pleased to have this border laid out?" was the next attempt. Still there was no reply; but when the question was repeated for the third time, the answer came: "You are the gardener, I believe, and I am the bishop!"

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